

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES are held at this government cemetery in the South Pacific, honoring the men who died in World War II. May 30 will bring to the mind of the nation the sacrifices of 407,828 men who fell during the second World War—(RNS Photo by Joe Rosenthal)

NEW YORK PAPERS LOOK BILLY OVER

By George Burnham
News Editor
Christianity Today Magazine
NEW YORK, N. Y. — New York's millions, representing 60 nationalities, don't all agree with Billy Graham and his message, but all are aware that he is here.

Unprecedented newspaper, radio and television coverage before and after the opening this week in Madison Square Garden made his name a household word in the biggest concrete jungle on earth.

150 in Press Section
More than 150 reporters, columnists and photographers overflowed the large press section

Carson-Newman Chemist Advances Cancer Study

JEFFERSON CITY, Tenn. — (BP) — A chemist at Carson-Newman College here has synthesized "anti-cancer foods" which arrest, prevent, and slow down the growth of certain transplanted cancers in experimental rats.

as the 38-year old evangelist began his six weeks plus crusade with an address on "The Christian Answer to the World Dilemma." They sat a few feet away from the spot where two circus tigers tangled in a death fight a few days before. The famous fight ring, in which pugilists have mauled each other for years, had been raised to the ceiling. To record the event the unexcitable New York Times ran a four-column picture spread on page one, showing the 18,500 who jammed the Garden. Two full pages inside carried the complete text and highlights. The Times commented:

Many Hear Plea
"The Gospel came to Madison Square Garden last night. It was preached in a simple straight-from-the-shoulder style by the Rev. Dr. Billy Graham, Evangelist extraordinary . . . listeners answered the plea to accept Christ by the hundreds (485) . . . men, women and teenagers slowly made their way to the front of the flower-banked platform. There were old men

and aged women, youngsters barely out of high school, well-dressed couples and young business persons . . . In all likelihood he will be here through July and August."

Opening Night Success
The Daily News Tabloid stated: "By any account the opening night of Graham's crusade was an unqualified success. . . For any who came to the Garden in search of emotional, foot-

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Sun. Observance Armed Forces Day Erroneous Report

WASHINGTON, D. C. (RNS) — A typist's error in copying a Presidential proclamation led to an erroneous report in religious circles that President Eisenhower had designated that Armed Forces Day be celebrated on the third Sunday in May 1958 and each year thereafter. The White House said the observance will continue to fall on the third Saturday in May.

Dr. C. E. Carlson, executive director of the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs, immediately withdrew a statement he had issued criticizing what he and other churchmen had thought was a plan to move the mass military demonstrations and parades to Sunday.

Dr. Carlson said he was glad to be informed by the White House that the report was in error since many religious groups would have felt such an observance on Sunday highly inappropriate.

Presbyterians In Australia May Invite Graham

BRISBANE, Australia (RNS) — The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Queensland has been asked by its evangelism director to invite Evangelist Billy Graham to conduct a crusade in Australia "in the near future." The proposal was made by the Rev. H. H. G. Whitney, who became acquainted with Mr. Graham in England.

Late BULLETIN From Around The World

(By Religious News Service)

WALLASEY, England (RNS) — The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of England was told by London minister that members of its congregations are "fed" up over a recent report posing Presbyterian bishops and Episcopal lay elders.

COLOMBO, Ceylon (RNS) — Prime Minister Solomon W. R. D. Bandaranaike announced here that religious bodies will not be permitted to open new schools in this country.

WASHINGTON, D. C. (RNS) — The crime rate in the United States has reached a point where the fingerprints of one American out every 15 are now on file with the Federal Bureau of Investigation for some offense "as serious as a traffic misdemeanor," a national conference of Protestant Sunday school youth paper editors here stated.

Convention Told Of "The Glory Of God"

Alabama Baptists Hit New Lay White Supremacy Group

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (RNS) — State Baptist officials demanded that a group of laymen who have organized for the avowed purpose of fostering white supremacy drop the word "Baptist" from their name.

The group is the Baptist Laymen of Alabama, Inc., which was incorporated here to fight "philosophies foreign to our beliefs as Christian white men."

The right of the group to use the word "Baptist" in its title was challenged by C. J. Isbell, secretary of the state Baptist Brotherhood, official laymen's body, and Dr. A. H. Reid, executive secretary of the Alabama Baptist Convention.

They also requested the new group to make clear that it is not an agency of the Alabama Baptist Convention. The group said it would comply with this request by using a rubber stamp on its stationery stating it is not an agency of the Alabama Convention.

Chief organizer of the Baptist Laymen of Alabama, Inc., was D. J. Fleming, a state employee. Associated with him as directors are Lawrence K. Andrews, a former state Senator; C. J. Griggs, a produce merchant; Renis O. Jones, Jr., an architect, and J. D. Adcock, a railroad conductor. Mr. Adcock is secretary of the Montgomery White Citizens Council.

Mr. Fleming said the group has about 160 members in nine Alabama counties with "about half" of them in Montgomery County.

He said any Baptist layman in good standing is eligible for membership.

BAYLOR HONORS CECIL B. DeMILLE

WACO, Texas — Baylor University announced that Cecil B. DeMille has accepted its invitation to deliver the convocation address at Baylor on Saturday, October 12, as a highlight of the university's "Conference of American Ideals."

At the same time the Baptist university will confer an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon Mr. DeMille in recognition of the religious motion pictures he has produced, including his latest and most lavish production, "The Ten Commandments."

So. Baptists Plan New Tri-State Convention in West

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah (RNS) — First steps towards forming a regional Convention have been taken by the nearly four dozen Southern Baptist churches in Utah, Idaho and Nevada.

Rev. Ira I. Marks of Salt Lake City, area missionary for the Baptist General Convention of Arizona, said the churches now are affiliated with his group. But they hope to constitute a separate tri-state Convention by 1959, he said.

He pointed to the growth of the denomination in the three-state area since the organization of a Southern Baptist church in Roosevelt, Utah, four years ago.

Psychiatrist Urges Jews To Seek Converts

Jews should seek converts to their ancient faith, and so share the mental health which its adherents enjoy far more than any other religious group in the world. So said a prominent New York psychiatrist, Dr. Abraham N. Franzblau, at the biennial assembly of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, in Toronto, Canada.

"In no other religion in the world," he said, "are there so many elements conducive to mental health," and to prove his point he stated that Jews have much lower delinquency rates and divorce rates than non-Jews, and few if any alcoholics.

Some 3,000 delegates attended the assembly. They represented 540 Reform congregations in the Western Hemisphere having more than a million members.

Oklahoma City Pastor Delivers Convention Sermon

Dr. Herschel H. Hobbs, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Oklahoma City since 1949, was this year chosen to preach the Convention Sermon at the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Chicago. A native of Alabama, Dr. Hobbs was educated at Howard College and at Southern Seminary.

In his sermon, as prepared for presentation, Dr. Hobbs said "the constant danger which confronts us is that we shall become lost in the entanglements of a jungle of statistics and programs, thus losing sight of the purpose of all our efforts—the glory of God."

"The all-inclusive manifestation of God's glory is seen in his redemptive will and work as it is found in our great God and Saviour, Jesus Christ," he continued.

Dr. Hobbs led his audience to examine the various facets of the glory of God: the glory of God in His Name, the glory of God in His creation, the glory of God in history, and the glory of God in His redemptive work.

"While there are many names used in the Old Testament for God," Dr. Hobbs said, "the name by which he chose to identify himself was Jehovah. So sacred was it that the Hebrews did not even pronounce it. Nor did they write it except with quill and ink and precious ointment, and taught us to pray, 'Hallowed be thy name.'"

"The name Jesus is the Greek form of the Hebrew word Joshua or Yeshua meaning 'Jehovah is salvation.' Jesus, our Lord's human name, yet in it were the power and mercy of Jehovah! The name by which Mary caressed her helpless babe, yet the name countless sinners have whispered as they experienced the power of God unto salvation!"

CARVER SCHOOL IN 50TH YEAR UNDER W. M. U.

Carver School of Missions and Social Work, Louisville, Ky., made its golden anniversary report to the Southern Baptist Convention, 1957 session in Chicago, today.

In the report, President Emily K. Lansdell told the Convention that after fifty years of sponsorship by the Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary to the Southern Baptist Convention, it was anticipated that the control of Carver School will pass to the Southern Baptist Convention.

The school, she said, actually started in 1904 as the Baptist Woman's Missionary Training School. Home under the sponsorship of Baptist women in Louisville, Ky. In 1907, the support of the school was transferred to the Woman's Missionary Union of the Southern Baptist Convention and the name of the school became the Woman's Missionary Training School for Christian Workers.

In 1953, President Lansdell continued, the charter was revised again so that the new name became the Carver School of Missions and Social Work.

Southwestern To Get New Buildings

President J. Howard Williams of Southwestern Baptist Seminary announced that contracts for 12 student apartment buildings for the seminary have been let, and that construction begin immediately. The contracts total \$980,000.



TO BIBLE SCHOOL ON FIRE ENGINE—SILVER HILL, Md.—Youngsters attending the daily vacation Bible school of Temple Hill Baptist church arrived there on horseback and on a fire truck. The church borrowed the engine from the Silver Hill volunteer fire department to round up the children in the Washington, D. C., suburb. The firemen promised them another ride after graduation.—(RNS Photo).

FOR CHILDREN

New Commandments

WASHINGTON, D. C. (RNS)—A "Ten Commandments for Parents" and a matching set of "Ten Commandments for Children" drafted by a Hollywood rabbi and his wife as a guide for improving family relationships have been published in the Congressional Record.

Rep. Joseph F. Holt (R-Calif.) introduced the commandments during debate in the House on juvenile delinquency. They are written by Rabbi and Mrs. William M. Kramer. He is spiritual leader of Temple Israel, Hollywood.

The "Ten Commandments for Children" follow:

- I. Thou shalt not cause one parent to turn against the other.
- II. Remember thy parents have the same rights as thou hast to enjoy life, secure rest, and to have the fruits of their labor.
- III. Thou shalt not ignore thy parents' experience and wisdom.
- IV. Thou shalt share the responsibilities and labor of the family according to thy ability and according to the need.
- V. Thy brother and thy sister shall be thy friend and not thy rival.
- VI. Thy behavior before thy teacher and in the community shall not bring reproach upon thy family.
- VII. Thou shalt respect the privacy of thy father and thy mother and thy sister and thy brother.
- VIII. Thou shalt not reveal the secrets of thy household, nor shalt thou bring gossip within thy gates.
- IX. Thou shalt observe the routine of thy household and need not to be reminded of thy daily tasks.
- X. Thou shalt learn diligently thy faith, observe its commandments, and attend its worship that thou mayest be worthy of good marriage, be the doer of good deeds, merit love and give love generously.



AMONG THE MISSISSIPPIANS who are members and workers in the Baptist church for Americans in Kaiserslautern, Germany, are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Broad and Mr. and Mrs. George Dowgillo of Biloxi; Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Williams, Mrs. Mary L. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fonden and John Fonden of Grenada; Mrs. Wayne Turner of Tupelo; and Margaret and Lewis Robertson of Jackson.

Americans In Germany Establish Baptist Church

By Margaret Yeates Robertson
Sembach, Germany

Many Mississippians have read in the Saturday Evening Post and other magazines about the huge arsenal Americans have built at Kaiserslautern, Germany, and the work thousands in the armed forces and civil service are doing to sup-

port the North Atlantic treaty organization here.

Little or nothing has been written, however, of the work many of these people and their families are doing on their own—and because your readers are Baptist and Mississippians, we thought they would be interested.

When many Americans come to Germany, they are surprised to find that there are two large German churches, Protestant and Roman Catholic, which are supported by state funds. Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian and other such churches are called "free" churches. They are few, and their congregations struggle hard to build them in the face of these large, tax-supported institutions.

In 1952 when the Americans first came to Kaiserslautern, a city about the size of Jackson, there were only five Baptists here, and they were members of one family. After a while, Baptist refugees from East Germany began to settle here, and when a Southern Baptist chaplain discovered they were holding Sunday afternoon prayer meetings in one of the homes, he helped them start a church. Since that time, with the help of American Baptists, these German Baptists, who now number more than 100, not only have built a church, but established missions in other cities. There still is no other Baptist church within 40 miles in any direction, and in this area there are hundreds of thousands of people.

Here, as in armed services chapel programs everywhere, a great many of the leaders are Southern Baptists. Many of these felt that they had been sent to a large mission field "ripe for harvest" and have been helping spread the gospel here in Germany by contributing both time and money.

Finally they felt that they could best serve by joining together, so about two months ago they formed their own church which meets in the German Church building. Chaplain (Captain) Wallace Wayne Turner of Leakesville, Mississippi, guided the church in its organization, and his wife, the former Inez Rankin of Tupelo, was one of its first members. I am enclosing a picture of other Mississippians who are working in the church.

The German Baptists are happy now to help the young American church and many of them, even those who cannot understand English, come to attend the American services. One of the first projects the Americans hope to undertake is to buy a Volkswagen for the German pastor, who each week travels 30 miles by motorcycle to Winnweiler to conduct an evening Bible study class and 80 miles by train to lead the Sunday afternoon service at Neustadt, where the church has its mission. Since this service is in addition to the two he conducts at the Kaiserslautern church, his train connections make it necessary for him to leave just after his service each Sunday morning and he returns just in time to take part in the evening worship.

Many Mississippi Baptists here in Kaiserslautern are trying to live up to their responsibilities in carrying the gospel to those around them, but they do need and ask the prayers of those "back home."

Said the Herald Tribune: "The garden doors opened at 6 p. m. (1½ hours before start) and hundreds of persons lined outside began filing in immediately."

THE BAPTIST RECORD
SERIES—MISSISSIPPI BAPTIST PEOPLE INFORMED.

Names In The News

Ray Taylor, Mississippi College student, was recently licensed to preach at First Church, Crystal Springs, Rev. A. Estus Mason, pastor.

Rev. W. Lowrey Compere, President of Clarke College, will preach at First Church, Crystal Springs, on Sunday, June 2, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. Estus Mason.

Dr. John McCall of Vicksburg will be the evangelist for the revival to begin at Richton Church Wednesday night, June 19. Rev. W. M. Averett is the pastor.

Rev. C. L. Bryant, Vicksburg; Dr. Webb Brame, Yazoo City; Rev. Roy Roby, Clinton; Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Nix, Petal; J. C. Lowe, Jr., Jackson, were among the recent visitors in the Baptist Building.

Dr. Eric C. Rust, professor of Christian Apologetics, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky., will be the baccalaureate speaker June 2 at Clemson College. Dr. Rust, a native of England, came to this country four years ago. Originally a scientist, he has B. A., M. A., and B. D. degrees from Oxford University; the B. Sc. and M. Sc. degrees from the University of London.

Joe Abrams, Associate Editor of the Baptist Record, is the writer of "Cooperative Program is Missions," an article in the May-June issue of The Baptist Program.

W. G. Mize, Superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage, announces that the Orphanage Swimming Pool will open on June 1. He states that many of the new boys and girls, as well as those who have been at the Orphanage for several years are in need of new bathing suits. "If you have a bathing suit or two in your home for boys or girls, all ages and sizes that are not being used," he says, "just wrap them up and mail to the Baptist Orphanage, P. O. Box 97, Jackson, Mississippi. If you do not have one that has been used and would like to purchase a new one or send the money for the purchase of one, this will be appreciated and very acceptable."

Van Winkle Revival To Begin June 2



Rev. Cliff Brannon

Rev. Cliff Brannon, well-known evangelist, will do the preaching for the revival to be held at Van Winkle Church, Jackson, June 2-16.

Services will begin each evening at 7:30.

Rev. Herman Milner is the pastor. Tommy Davis, Minister of Music and Education, will lead the singing.

McCullough to Lead Wade Revival

Rev. Robert McCullough of Tunnel Springs, Alabama, will be evangelist for revival services to be conducted at Wade Church in Jackson County June 3-9, with morning services beginning at 10:00 o'clock and evening services at 7:30.

A machine gunner for the U. S. A. F. during World War II, Mr. McCullough was held for a time as a German prisoner.

Rev. W. M. Moote is pastor at Wade.

After you lose your membership in it, the younger generation seems pretty bad.

Funeral Services For Hight C. Moore Held at Ridgecrest

RIDGECREST, N. C. — (BP) — Hight C. Moore, 86, North Carolina Southern Baptist minister and editor, died Friday, May 24, here. The funeral was held Sunday, May 26, at Ridgecrest Baptist Church, and the burial took place in Ridgecrest Memorial Cemetery.

Moore was editor of the Biblical Recorder, weekly paper of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, from 1908 to 1917. He then began his work at the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., where he was managing editor from 1917 until 1927 and editorial secretary from 1917 until his retirement in 1943.

Moore was secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention from 1914 through 1946.

His home during the years of his retirement until his death was Ridgecrest, N. C.

Moore is survived by his wife, Laura Peterson Moore.

Youth Led Revival At Macon, First

A Youth-Led Revival at First Church, Macon, will be held June 2-7, with a team from Mississippi College in charge.

Paul Moody, Louisville, will be the preacher; Johnny Lee Smith, Louisville, will lead the singing; Sarah Odle, Jackson will be pianist; and Martha Clark, Shelby, will be organist.

Vacation Bible School, with members of the youth team serving as Supt. of Departments, will be held each morning and revival services at night. Rev. Ivor L. Clark, pastor, will serve as principal of the school.

Minister of Music At First, Yazoo City



Dalton Dyess

Dalton Dyess, the new Minister of Music of First Church, Yazoo City, arrived from his Louisville, Ky., home Monday, May 27. He will lead the singing at the church's revival June 2-9 when John Edmund Haggar of Louisville will preach.

LeFlore Announces Week-End Revival

Rev. A. E. Howell, pastor of the Cruger Church, will be the evangelist for revival services to be held at LeFlore Church Thursday, May 30, through Sunday, June 2.

Rev. Edward Chandler, pastor at LeFlore, is a student at Sunflower Junior College.

Mr. Howell is a graduate of New Orleans Seminary.

Braxton Revival To Begin June 2

Rev. Johnny Foy, pastor at Soso, will be the evangelist for the revival to be held at Braxton Church June 2-7, with morning services beginning at 10:00 o'clock and evening services at 7:30.

Bob Pollard, Mississippi College student and music director at Collins Church, will lead the singing.

41 Conversions In Gunnison Revival

Rev. D. W. Nix, pastor, Cartersville Church, Hattiesburg, was the evangelist for the recent revival at First Church, Gunnison.

There were 41 professions of faith and three additions by letter, as well as a large number of rededications.

Morning services were conducted in the high school building, where the whole student body and all the faculty members attended.

Rev. A. V. Fagard is the pastor at Gunnison.



WORKSHOP AT SOUTHWESTERN—Shown with items which will be on display at the Audio-Visual Workshop at Southwestern Seminary, June 17-20, are members of the Workshop Faculty, left to right: Mildred Frances Williams, Field Worker with Audio-Visual Department of Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville; Lee McCoy, Professor of Education Administration and Adult Education, Southwestern; and Dr. Joe D. Heacock, Dean of the School of Religious Education at Southwestern.

RESOLUTION

Whereas, the Reverend George Everett Holsomback faithfully preached the gospel for many years in rural Baptist Churches in east Mississippi, and

Whereas, Brother Holsomback, who was a member of the Fellowship Baptist Church in Lauderdale County, went to his eternal reward on April 3, 1957.

Therefore, be it resolved that we have suffered a distinct loss in his passing from our midst; inasmuch as his genial personality was an inspiration to this body,

Be it further resolved that we declare that we held Brother Holsomback in high regard as a man and as a preacher of the Word of God,

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Baptist Record for publication and that a copy of the same be sent to Brother Holsomback's family.

Read and adopted by the Fellowship Baptist Church in Lauderdale County, Mississippi, this the nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven.

Pastor: R. H. Fitzgerald
Clerk: Lois E. Kinard
Deacons: Thamus Stephens, J. W. Richardson, A. N. Chisolm, W. T. Richardson, V. L. Gentry, T. F. Snowden.

Miss Hannah to Serve Seventh Summer In Bahama Islands

Miss Jewel Hannah, Baptist Student Union Director of William Carey College, will serve this year for the seventh consecutive summer as a missionary to the Bahama Islands.

Miss Hannah will start her work as a teacher in the Bahamas Baptist Bible Institute on June 10 under the direction of Rev. Emit Ray, Southern Baptist missionary in the Bahamas.

Miss Hannah's work has not been confined to Nassau, or New Providence Island, but she has also worked on Andros Island, Eleuthera Island, and Exuma Island. After returning to the mainland each summer, she uses her colored slides to illustrate the mission work in the Islands to various churches and church groups. These slides have been shown in Texas, Florida, Arkansas, Missouri and Mississippi.

RED CREEK UNION HOLDING REVIVAL

Revival services began at Red Creek Union Church in Jackson County on Sunday, May 26, with night services beginning at 7:30. Rev. O. H. Petty of Hattiesburg is the evangelist. Robert Rhodes is leading the singing.

Rev. Gale Anderson is the pastor.

D. W. Nix Preaches In Bethany Revival

There were two professions of faith and more than 50 rededications during the recent revival meeting at Bethany Church, Drew.

Rev. D. W. Nix, brother of Pastor G. E. Nix and pastor of the Cartersville Church, was the evangelist.



STUDENT RETREAT SPEAKERS ANNOUNCED—NASHVILLE, Tenn.—(BSSB)—Highlighted speakers at the Southern Baptist Student Retreat, Ridgecrest, N. C., June 6-12 are (top row, left to right) Robert C. Norman, attorney, Augusta, Ga.; Bill Glass, All-American football star, Baylor University, Waco, Texas; Dr. Clovis Chappell, Methodist pastor emeritus of Birmingham, Ala.; (Bottom row, left to right) Paul Geren, executive vice-president, Baylor University, Dr. J. R. "Jackie" Robinson, former All-American Olympic star, now pastor, First Baptist Church, Augusta, Ga., and Mrs. John Maguire, author, lecturer, of Jacksonville, Fla.



"THE UNRIGHTEOUS JUDGE" HAS CLIMATIC SCENE—In a climatic scene from "The Unrighteous Judge" a Radio and Television Commission production for the popular "This Is The Answer" series, Mrs. Palmer pleads with the publicity-seeking judge for justice to her teen-age son, while reporter Jeff Harmon (center) takes more than passing interest in the case. Watch your local TV station for time of telecast of this Baptist program.



GRADUATION, THEN WHAT?—"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all they ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths."—Proverbs 3:5-6.—(RNE Photo).

New York Papers --

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stomping, hand-waving, cheering, crying revivals of past evangelists, the night must have proved a disappointment."

Reported the unimpressed Daily Mirror: "There were two persons at least in the church-like arena Graham did not convert. One stole \$800 worth of camera equipment from a news photographer. The other, almost unnoticed, stood up in the choir when Graham said, 'Christ came on this earth 2000 years ago,' and shouted, '1957 years, you mean,' slung his coat over his arm and left. . . . Graham promised one thing . . . he would pray for the man who stole the cameras."

Said the Herald Tribune: "The garden doors opened at 6 p. m. (1½ hours before start) and hundreds of persons lined outside began filing in immediately."

Horn Lake Dedicates Bldg.

On May 19 the Horn Lake Church dedicated their new educational building, a two-story brick building valued at \$35,000 which contains new and enlarged space for the Nursery thru the Young People's Departments, a kitchen and three rest-rooms.

According to the pastor, Rev. B. F. McIlwain, the church is now able to take care of about 500 in Sunday School. They recently sponsored an Enlargement Campaign in the Sunday School and organized several new classes and departments.

Open House was held at the church on Sunday afternoon.

Only ten years ago Horn Lake was a half-time church with a very small membership. There were 205 in Sunday School on May 19 and 104 in Training Union, with four additions.

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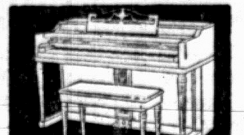
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N.O. Student Receives Foundation Loan



Tedd Arnold (Buck) Duke, a student at New Orleans Seminary, is shown receiving from Dr. J. Walsh Watts, NORTS Dean, (left) the first loan from the J. W. Caperton Foundation. Mr. Duke graduates from the New Orleans Seminary this month. He is a native of Siluria, Alabama, and graduated from Howard College, Birmingham. His wife is the former Martha Norton, a native of Heflin, Ala. Mr. Duke is presently serving as pastor of the Oak Grove Church, Prentiss, Miss.

The J. W. Caperton Foundation has been established as a perpetual loan fund for the purpose of aiding in the education of worthy ministerial students. The Foundation grew out of an interest on the part of J. W. Caperton, Tunica, Miss., layman, to aid worthy students in their preparation for the ministry. Individuals interested in information regarding the J. W. Caperton Foundation are invited to write to The J. W. Caperton Foundation, Box 530, Jackson, Mississippi.

21 Decisions In Lumberton Revival

Rev. W. H. Moss, pastor, did the preaching during the recent revival at First Church, Lumberton. Herbert Batson, Minister of Music and Education at First Church, Grenada, served as song leader and soloist.

There were 21 decisions with 14 additions to the church membership, making a total of 73 decisions in the church this year—66 additions to the church membership, six rededications, and one surrendering for full-time Christian service.

Youth Week was observed at the same time with Jerry Ward Hurt serving as Youth Pastor.

Other young people who served as officers during Youth Week were: James Lowe, Minister of Music; Butch Davis, chairman of Deacons; Michael Smith, chairman of Ushers; Gerald Bates, Church Clerk; Ed Blackwell, Treasurer; Shirley Jean Eldridge, Pianist; Bob Smith, Superintendent of Sunday School; James Thomas, Training Union Director; Iris Lee, W. M. U. President; and John Allen Landrum, Brotherhood President. Thirty-seven young people held elective offices during the week.



Rev. James G. Stertz, pastor of First Baptist Church, De Land, Fla., was elected assistant secretary for missionary personnel at the May meeting of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

To Begin June 23



Rev. Dan Holcomb will do the preaching and Lilbourne McCollough will direct the music. Rev. D. W. Nix is the pastor.

Tom Sims Graduates From Southwestern



Rev. Tom Sims, a graduate of Mississippi College, recently received the B. D. degree from Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas.

A native of Hattiesburg, Mr. Sims has served as pastor of the Kennedy Memorial Church, New Augusta; Harmony Church, Louisville; and Ora Church, Collins. He has preached in about 40 revivals in Mississippi and Texas and has been a speaker for the Texas Alcohol and Narcotic Education, Inc. since December, 1955.

Mrs. Sims, the former Linda Mattox of Hattiesburg, is a graduate of William Carey College.

Marks Appoints Assistant Pastor



Rev. Odean Puckett has been called to serve as assistant pastor and youth counselor of the First Church, Marks.

Mr. Puckett received the B. A. degree from Millsaps College and did one year of graduate study at Tulane University before being called into the ministry. While in Millsaps he sang in the Millsaps Concert Choir. He plays the piano and directs congregational singing.

He is now completing a year of study at Southern Seminary, Louisville, Ky. His home is in Jackson, where his family are members of Calvary Church. Dr. J. D. Eavenson is the pastor at Marks.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRAINING UNION ATTENDANCE

May 26, 1957

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| Aberdeen, First | 361 | 86 |
| Batesville, First | 467 | 200 |
| Bethany (Jeff Davis) | 82 | 51 |
| Bethlehem (Jones) | 126 | 88 |
| Biloxi, Emmanuel | 258 | 97 |
| Booneville, First | 245 | 92 |
| Brookhaven, First | 888 | 286 |
| Main | 759 | 200 |
| Southway | 109 | 61 |
| Halbert Heights | 29 | 25 |
| Byram | 300 | 216 |
| Center Hill (Desoto) | 54 | |
| Charleston, First | 317 | 108 |
| Clarksdale | 506 | 153 |
| Cleveland, First | 414 | 87 |
| Main | 359 | |
| Chinese Mission | 55 | |
| Columbus, First | 981 | 300 |
| Main | 853 | 250 |
| Fairview | 112 | 50 |
| Jonestown Mission | 16 | |
| Crystal Spgs, First | 626 | 210 |
| Duck Hill | 104 | 51 |
| Fair River (Lincoln) | 104 | 67 |
| Fellowship (Choctaw) | 102 | |
| Flowood | 101 | 55 |
| Furrs (Pontotoc) | 109 | 40 |
| Greenwood, North | 329 | 114 |
| Hattiesburg, First | 595 | 171 |
| Hattiesburg, Immanuel | 306 | 114 |
| Hattiesburg, 38th Ave. | 231 | 123 |
| Hernando | 150 | 81 |
| Jackson: | | |
| Southside | 249 | 146 |
| Hillcrest | 312 | 161 |
| West Jackson | 475 | 200 |
| Dan. Memorial | 920 | 387 |
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| Main | 671 | |
| Maple Mission | 22 | |
| Laurel, First | 661 | 172 |
| Long Beach, First | 299 | 78 |
| Main | 276 | |
| DeLisle Mission | 23 | |
| Longview (Oktibbeha) | 87 | 72 |
| Lucedale | 397 | 142 |
| Ludlow | 104 | 40 |
| McComb, Friendship | 131 | 61 |
| Friendship Mission | 25 | 16 |
| Mt. Pisgah (Choctaw) | 91 | 104 |
| Macedonia (Lincoln) | 245 | 88 |
| Magee, First | 457 | 129 |
| Meridian: | | |
| First | 893 | 193 |
| Eighth Avenue | 209 | 90 |
| Poplar Spgs. Dr. | 453 | 200 |
| Fifteenth Avenue | 577 | 234 |
| (South Side) | 479 | 198 |
| (South Side Mission) | 19 | 27 |
| Totals | 498 | 225 |
| Forty-First Ave. | 385 | 116 |
| Key Field | 120 | 531 |
| Emmanuel | 74 | 44 |
| Grandview Chapel | 29 | 20 |
| Highland | 584 | 248 |
| State Boulevard | 375 | 151 |
| (Oakland Heights) | 291 | 96 |
| Arrowood Mission | 89 | 41 |
| Totals | 380 | 137 |
| Morton, First | 383 | 235 |
| Main | 262 | 116 |
| Mission | 121 | 119 |
| Murphy Cr. (Winston) | 175 | 64 |
| Natchez, First | 563 | 180 |
| Neshoba | 105 | 72 |
| New Albany, First | 660 | 216 |
| New Prospect (Desoto) | 83 | 109 |
| New Sight (Lincoln) | 127 | 77 |
| Newton, First | 451 | 203 |
| Pascagoula, Eastlawn | 254 | 160 |
| Pascagoula, First | 801 | 245 |
| Main | 710 | 189 |
| McArthur Chapel | 35 | 12 |
| Orange Gr. Chapel | 56 | 44 |
| Petal (First) | 163 | 60 |
| Petal-Harvey | 405 | 155 |
| Main | 366 | 122 |
| Harvey Mission | 39 | 33 |
| Petal, Temple | 199 | 94 |
| Picayune, First | 654 | 175 |
| Main | 644 | |
| Mission | 10 | |
| Pocahontas | 46 | |
| Purvis, First | 296 | 66 |
| Raworth (Scott) | 55 | 49 |
| Ridgeland (Rankin) | 268 | 115 |
| Richland (Rankin) | 268 | 115 |
| Ripley, First | 357 | 124 |
| Ruth | 67 | 69 |
| Soso, First | 189 | 108 |
| Starkville, First | 915 | 288 |
| Tishomingo Chapel (Alcorn) | 79 | 50 |
| Tupelo, Harrisburg | 479 | 165 |
| Union, First | 325 | 107 |
| Union (Walthall) | 134 | 88 |
| Wayside (Yalobaha) | 31 | 37 |
| West End (Winston) | 71 | 86 |
| West Point, Calvary | 240 | 133 |
| May 11 1957 | | |
| Durant, First | 278 | 107 |
| Hernando | 190 | 78 |
| Long Beach | 319 | |
| Main | 298 | 78 |
| DeLisle Missio | 21 | |
| Picayune, First | 640 | 220 |
| Main | 633 | |
| Mission | 7 | |
| MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (RNS) | | |
| The Evangelical Lutheran Church added 1,941 members in 1956, bringing its baptized total to 1,043,141 (the Rev. O. H. Hove, general secretary, announcing here. | | |

So. Baptist Church Organized In Omaha

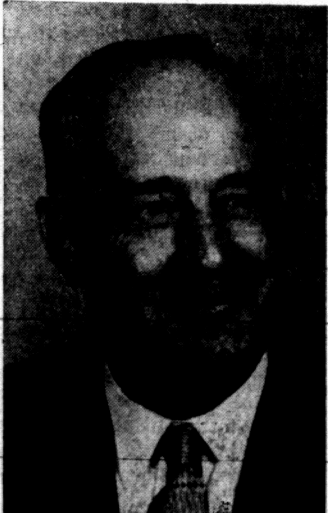
Southern Baptists now have a cooperating church in Omaha, Nebraska, which was organized February 13, with 36 charter members.

Those attending the organizational meeting included Dr. N. J. Westmoreland, Executive Secretary, and W. A. Burkey, Superintendent of Missions, for the Kansas Convention of Southern Baptists.

The Lincoln, Nebraska First Southern Baptist Church, Rev. T. M. Hodgins, pastor, and Park Avenue Church of Atlanta, Ga., Dr. L. E. Smith, pastor, sponsored the new church.

Rev. Jack Adkisson of Texarkana, Texas, is pastor.

Chaplain F. M. Britt Released From Duty



F. M. Britt

Chaplain F. M. Britt has been released from active duty with the U. S. Air Force after 14 years of active service. During this time he served in Germany, Newfoundland, Labrador, and in seven different states.

A graduate of Mississippi College, New Orleans Seminary, and the Harvard Chaplains' School, he entered the service from the pastorate of Calvary Church, New Orleans, La. He was pastor at Florence, Miss. for five years and has held other pastorates in the state.

Chaplain Britt is now a member of Midway Church, Jackson, Rev. Wm. F. Evans, pastor, and will be available for supply or church work. His address is 106 Carolyn Avenue, Jackson.

Vanilla Church Calls Louis C. Scholle, Jr.



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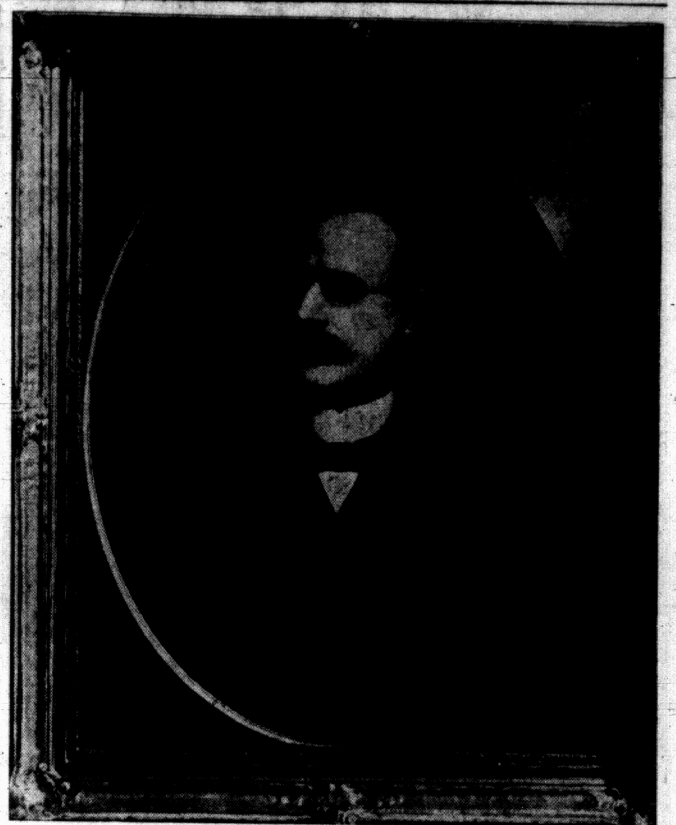
Rev. Louis C. Scholle has been called as the pastor of the Vanilla Church, where he will begin work June 9.

A native of St. Louis, Missouri, he is a graduate of Valley College, Marshall, Mo. He has attended Southwestern Seminary and Central Seminary, Kansas City, Kansas. He is transferring to the New Orleans Seminary to complete his study for the B. D. and M. R. E. degrees.

Mr. Scholle comes from the pastorate of Carrollton, Mo.

Rev. Joe Canzoneri, who has been supplying the pulpit of the Vanilla Church during the month of May, was pastor of this church for three years during the late thirties.

ELMHURST, Ill. (RNS)—A top Congregational executive warned here that the church unity movement has become so popular it is in danger of turning into a fad.



PORTRAIT OF DR. T. P. BELL UNVEILED—NASHVILLE, Tenn.—(BSSB)—This portrait of Dr. T. P. Bell, second corresponding secretary of the Baptist Sunday School Board (1893-96) was unveiled recently. It joins those of other secretaries on the walls of the Board's chapel. Dr. Norman W. Cox, secretary, Southern Baptist Historical Commission, spoke at the ceremonies on Dr. Bell's life and work.

CAREY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION TO BE HONORED AT BANQUET

The Carey College Alumni Association will be guests of the college at a banquet in the dining hall at 6:00 p. m., Friday, May 31. Anyone having formerly attended Carey College is invited to attend, notifying the college in advance.

Rev. Billy Mitchell, vice-president and 1956 graduate who is now pastor of First Church, Myrtle, will be master of ceremonies. Rev. Byron Mathis of Seminary, and President of the Alumni Association, will be in charge of inducting the 52 members of the 1957 graduating class into the alumni association.

Following the banquet the Commencement address will be delivered by Mrs. Wilfred C. Tyler of Blue Mountain College.

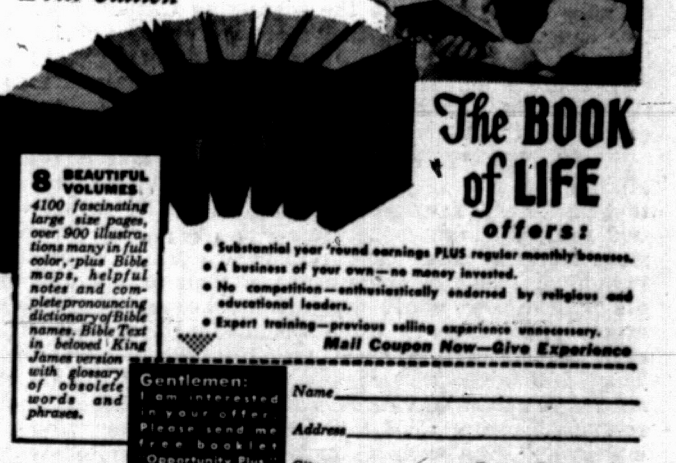


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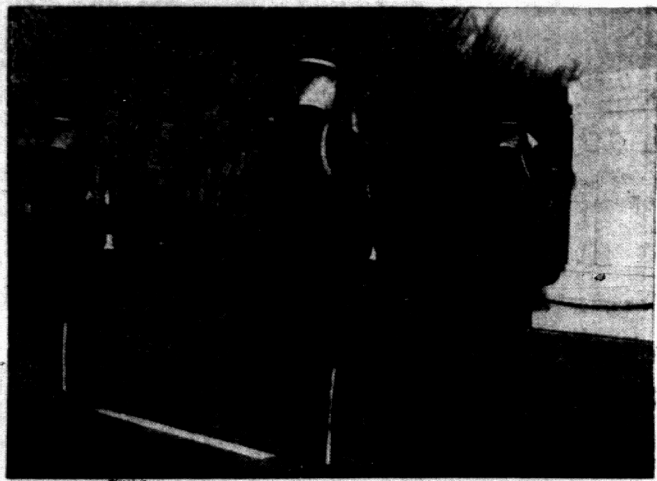
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EDITORIALS

Lest We Forget . . .



Denominational Critics And Their Phobia About Conformity

Witch hunts didn't cease with colonial days. Some of the hunters are still around.

Every once in awhile some fellow rises up in what he wants to think is righteous indignation, and goes snorting forth to point out which witch is which.

Some well-timed words on the subject have come to us from Pastor J. H. Avery of the First Church, Panama City, Florida. We pass them along with the feeling that in the touchy realm of putting folks in their place, here is a statement that is well put.

"MOST, IF NOT ALL, PASTORS of Southern Baptist churches have from time to time received bulletins or small periodical publications or letters the contents of which were extremely critical of our Southern Baptist life and work as a denomination. Without attempting to give any likely psychological explanation for the type of personality who is responsible for such critical publications, I would like to come to the crux of the problem in a brief discussion of the basic principle involved.

"The incident referred to in Luke 9:49, 50 presents this principle quite clearly: Uniformity versus unity, or, in other words, conformation versus cooperation. The words of Jesus in this connection turn a shaft of light on this stubborn and somewhat complicated problem. His words should settle the question for everyone in favor of unity and cooperation rather than uniformity and one-sided conformity. But, among the people called Baptists, in the continuing agitation with which we are all too familiar, we see an extreme, exaggerated individualism on one hand strutting itself vociferously and voluminously against the principle of spiritual unity, against practical cooperation, and against the spirit which enables the followers of the Master to 'esteem every man better than' oneself or 'in honor preferring one another.'

"IN GOOD CONSCIENCE AND HONESTY, I am forced to view the position taken in such publications as referred to above as being both vicious and malicious. I say this because their viewpoint completely ignores many pertinent facts (although they are strong on emphasizing 'facts') both in our Baptist history and in our current endeavors to advance the Cause of our Saviour and Master throughout the world as Christ's commission enjoins upon us to do. Also, I feel as I do because the views of those extremely individualistic brethren make it very clear that they neither know nor respect the difference between the New Testament principle of cooperation and the principle of reaction which demands conformity with their fixed pattern of thought (see Luke 11:23 and 9:50).

"Cooperation is a relationship and fellowship in which there is mutual respect between those who are involved. Those in this relationship and fellowship cannot have the feeling that they are being 'told what they must do' by the top echelon in a budding ecclesiasticism. Those who are in this fellowship think, pray, plan, and work 'together' and they experience the surpassing Christian joy of true Kingdom citizens as they realize a 'meeting of minds' in the Lord and 'as workers together with him' (see I Cor. 6:1). There is immeasurable strength, encouragement, and Christian fruitfulness in such spiritual rapport which the extreme individualist can never get even an inkling of.

"ON THE OTHER HAND, conformity is a one-sided affair in which one person or a group takes the attitude that he (or 'it' as a group) is so all-fired right that mutual respect in the cooperative sense is rendered impossible. Working 'together' is no longer possible. When such individuals make common cause of their exaggerated individualism there is still not much more cooperative togetherness among them than there is among the several sticks of stove wood in the box of an old-time country kitchen. They can never produce any considerable corporate results in Kingdom service. It is at this point that they ignore so many facts in our Baptist history and current kingdom endeavors. With such an individual or group the whole method or manner of work for the laborers in the Master's 'fields white already unto harvest' becomes that of one-sided conformity. It is the attitude that if the other fellow is to join me in the Master's vineyard he must 'work WITH me.' The idea that we are laborers together with God is choked out. It is the idea that any fellow-Christian who wants to have fellowship with me in kingdom service must conform to my particular brand of individualism which I have exalted to such a high degree that I have not left adequate room for his own legitimate individualism. Therefore mutual respect and true cooperation are impossible.

"IT IS OBVIOUS TO MANY that this extremely accentuated individualism is also a peculiar evangelical version of ancient phariseism. This modern 'Christian' version of phariseism shows up in its fanatical 'judgments' and manifestation of more heat than light. These 'Pharisees' too are in their own convictions, the certain and sure custodians of God's truth. Therefore, they must 'contend earnestly for the faith which was once for all delivered unto the saints.' They know how to 'speak the truth in love' sic! These extremely individualistic men within our Baptist household of faith today, who are continually crying out against dictatorial and hierarchical tendencies within our denomination, are the purest examples of the very dictatorship which they decry. The evil which they are fighting is within themselves, and they do not seem to be able to see it.

"My supreme concern for all Christians is that we have in us the mind that was (and is) in Christ Jesus (Phil. 2:5). For those who are in Christ Jesus there is (whether we recognize it or not) ample room both for their rightful individualism AND for such mutual respect between them as individuals that they might work 'together' with God, and not 'against' each other in an exaggerated individualism which cannot help but characterize itself by reactionism. Jesus, in His great prayer (John 17) prayed for the oneness of His followers. This petition of our Lord has been ignored and disregarded by too many of us and with incalculable tragedy for nearly two thousand years.

"ANY MAN WHO WILL GET ALL THE FACTS of the

Pages

From The Past

By JESSE L. BOYD, JR.

50 YEARS AGO

For lack of something newsworthy, the following: "Here is something queer," said the dentist, who had been drilling and drilling into a tooth. "You said that this tooth had never been filled, but I find flakes of gold on the point of my drill."

"I knew it!" moaned the patient. "I knew it! You've struck my collar button."

40 YEARS AGO

Pastor Zeno Wall of the Clinton Baptist church offers his resignation to accept from Governor Theodore Bilbo a commission as chaplain of the Mississippi regiment of artillery of the National Guard to serve in World War I. The church voted instead to grant him a leave of absence for the duration.

N. T. Tull, the Budget man of the Convention Board says "In a recent interview with one of the most experienced and popular public auditors in Mississippi, he told me that of all classes of accounting and auditing he was called upon to do, he found that church institutions had the most meager and poorly kept records of any that came under his observation." And the consensus of opinion is that the records of Baptist churches are poorest of all.

25 YEARS AGO

Pastor J. N. McMillan of the Louisville, First Church, reports a very successful meeting of days in which Rev. B. C. Land of Quitman did the preaching, and resulted in 39 accessions, 33 by experience and baptism.

The Men's Bible Class of the Morton Baptist Church and the Men's Bible Class of the Pelahatchie Baptist Church staged a joint debate at Morton on a Friday night on the subject, "Resolved that the law of the tithe is binding on all Christians." The Morton men had the negative and won hands down. Following the debate, which was lively, all were served with delicious refreshments.

For good measure: "If a man shouts at a baseball game they call him a 'fan'; if he shouts at a revival they call him a 'fan-atic'."

Fellowships Are Available For Alcoholism Study

WASHINGTON — (BP) — Fellowships are available for three Southern Baptists who want to attend a two-week Institute of Scientific Studies for the Prevention of Alcoholism. Institutes will be held this summer.

W. A. Scharffenberg, executive secretary, National Committee for the Prevention of Alcoholism, said one fellowship is available to a Southern Baptist minister, one to a social welfare worker, and a third to a Southern Baptist educator.

One institute will be held at Loma Linda, Calif., near Los Angeles, July 8-19 for residents west of the Mississippi River. The other institute at American University, Washington, will be held July 22-Aug. 2 for residents east of the Mississippi River, he said.

The fellowship grant includes round-trip coach fare from the student's home as well as his tuition. Applications should be secured from National Committee for the Prevention of Alcoholism, 6840 Eastern Ave. N. W., Washington 12.

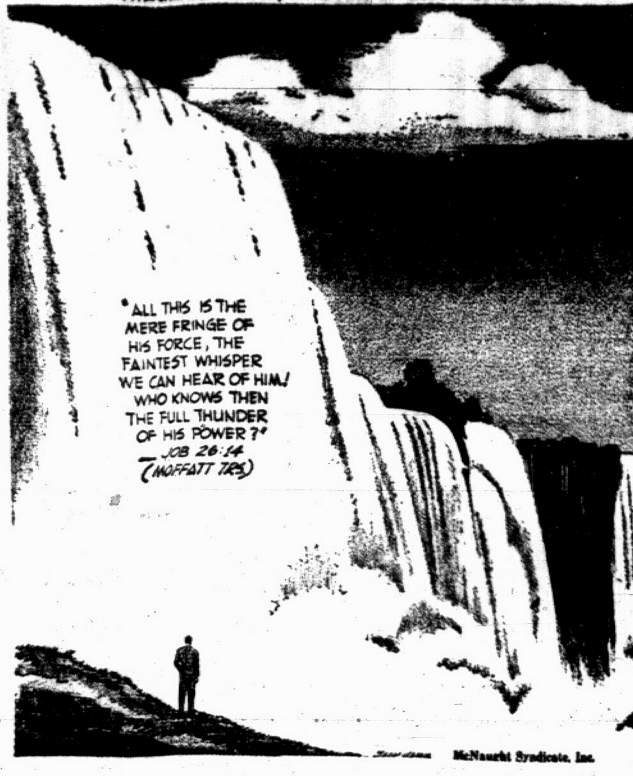
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Real estate man to couple in his office: "I do have something for five thousand — would you like to ride out and see if it's still standing. — Sale in The Saturday Evening Post.

life and work of the Southern Baptist Convention fully in hand, in mind if you please, and honestly analyze them will be forced to conclude that the position taken in such publications as those discussed here is fragmentary in coverage, reactionary and sometimes vicious in spirit, and that it is destructive in its critical effect. Personally, I much prefer to belong to the construction crew rather than to the wrecking gang any day.

"My plea is that we be honest and diligent enough to see the total picture not merely in a general way as an outsider looking on, but that we actually get into the real facts and spirit of our corporate life as Baptists. Any judgment based on less than this is basically dishonest, and our heavenly Father will hold us personally responsible. We should cherish our blessed heritage, correct our mistakes, and work together for the glory and good pleasure of Him who loved us and gave Himself for us."

NIAGARAS ROAR, WHISPER OF GODS POWER



"ALL THIS IS THE MERE FRINGE OF HIS FORCE, THE FAINTEST WHISPER WE CAN HEAR OF HIM WHO KNOWS THEN THE FULL THUNDER OF HIS POWER?" (JOH. 20:14) (NOBIAUT 725)

The Baptist Forum

Intercession

I think one of the greatest things we can do to arouse more interest in missions is to lead the people everywhere to pray for the missionaries.

J. F. Lambdin,
Secretary,
Training Union Dept.
Nashville.

State Department

Harry Seamans of the State Department (Liaison Officer for Religious Organizations) is most impressed with what you are doing in your paper, called it "one of the outstanding publications in the church press."

Lillian Block
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Plaudits

We wait with interest each week for your publication. May God bless you in this work. The Record each week is inspiring, filled with news and information for our people.

Reed Dickens, Jr.
Ethel, Miss.

49th State

We have no voting Congressman to whom we can write. We therefore ask only that you write a short note to your Congressmen — the Senators and Representatives who represent your State in the Congress of the United States — urging them to support Alaska Statehood. This support would mean a great deal to our Baptist work, to the people of Alaska, to the people of the United States and the peoples of the world who embrace this principle of Freedom.

James B. Dotson,
Pastor, FAITH
BAPTIST CHURCH,
Spenard, Alaska

Transplants

Since coming here, we have found that a number of transplanted Mississippians are sojourning in S. C. Among them are Dr. and Mrs. O. D. Bonner and Dr. Hilton Carlisle, of the University of S. C. faculty; Mr. and Mrs. Buron Lee, Fort Jackson; Dr. John Slaughter, pastor of First Baptist Church, Spartanburg; Dr. Edward L. Byrd, pastor of First Church, Florence; Dr. L. Edward Smith, pastor of First Church, Batesburg; Rev. W. R. Barefoot, pastor of First Church, North, S. C.; Dr. D. M. Nelson, Jr., pastor of First Church, and Dr. C. Earl Cooper, pastor of Earle Street Church, both of Greenville, and

Presbyteries Reject Changes in Rules On Remarriage

ATLANTA, Ga. (RNS)—Presbyteries of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. (Southern) have rejected a proposal to leave the remarriage of divorced members up to the discretion of a committee and the minister within each local church.

The proposal also would have deleted from the Church's Confession of Faith two paragraphs that permit exceptions to the ban on marriage after divorce. These exceptions allow marriage of the innocent party after a divorce granted on the grounds of adultery and willful desertion.

Dr. E. C. Scott, the Church's stated clerk, reported here that 54 of the denomination's 85 presbyteries had voted against the proposal and 29 for it. He said two presbyteries had not yet been heard from. An affirmative vote of three-fourths of the presbyteries is needed to make changes in the Confession of Faith.

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and demanded by what authority he was conducting services. The Baptist presented his credentials, which officers considered worthless because they were not issued by the state church.

Informed that he must give security not to "teach, preach, or exhort" for twelve months and a day or go to jail, Ireland told the deputies that he would go to jail first. He is free under bond pending further court action.

Officers were embarrassed when they attempted to pass judgment on the congregation assembled to hear Ireland's sermon. They were told that while they had broken the law, it was obvious that they had been deceived by Ireland.

"Leave Ireland's table," the congregation was told by the deputies, "stand with us to show that you are ready to comply with the law, and no charges will be made."

In reply the Baptists told officers that they had heard nothing preached but "the gospel of Christ," and that if they did not have enough money to pay their fines they would go to jail with Ireland.

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Few African Doctors

There are 780 inhabitants for each physician in the United States while the numbers of inhabitants per physician in Belgian Congo and Nigeria are 20,000 and 56,000 respectively. Other similar facts for illustrations in the 1957 Southern Baptist Handbook to be introduced at the Southern Baptist Convention in Chicago.

Asked if she could spell banana, a little girl said, "I know how to spell banana but I never know when to stop."—Quoted by Charles Poore in New York Times.

Counselor's Corner

By Dr. R. Lofton Hudson



Dr. Hudson, pastor of Wornall Road Baptist Church, Kansas City, Missouri is author of "The Religion of a Mature Person" and "The Religion of a Sound Mind" for the Baptist Record.

(Author of the new book FOR OUR AGE OF ANXIETY which may be purchased from your Baptist Book Store.)

BLAMES PREACHER FOR MARRIAGE

QUESTION: What is your opinion of a Baptist preacher that would perform the marriage ceremony of a knowingly secret marriage of a couple, both of whom have not finished high school? The girl graduates from high school in three months and the boy will then go into the army. Don't you think that he should have counseled these children or advised their parents, as all live in the same neighborhood?

ANSWER: It sounds to me as if you are picking on this preacher. Have you heard his side of the story? How do you know that he did not counsel the "children," as you call them? Most preachers do.

As for advising the parents, I can imagine what that would have brought about. These young people would have taken off to the adjoining county, been married by a justice of the peace, and never confided in a preacher again as long as they lived.

Counseling people does not mean telling them what they ought or ought not to do. It means to help individuals to understand what they are doing, and why they are doing it, so that they may make more intelligent decisions. Preachers who play God are just as wrong as psychiatrists or parents or judges who play God.

It sounds as if the couple getting married started out with two strikes against them. Perhaps you, the community, and the preacher combined, may help them grow a good marriage in spite of the handicaps. (Address questions to Dr. Hudson, Wornall Road Baptist Church, Kansas City, Mo.)

Calendar of Prayer

June 3 — Holland Little, Itawamba Association Training Union Director; Mrs. Lamar Holcombe, Panola Association W. M. U., President.

June 4 — Rev. A. R. Smith, Choctaw-Zion Association Missionary; Olga Hagler, William Carey College staff.

June 5 — J. E. Buchanan, Blue Mountain College staff; Mrs. J. R. Tillery, Seminary Extension Department.

June 6 — Elliott Boone, Marshall Association Sunday School Supt.; Howard Aultman, Trustee, Mississippi College.

June 7 — Robert Burrus, Baptist Building; Ulysses Tate, Baptist Building.

June 8 — Allison Bell, Trustee, Blue Mountain College; Dr. S. E. Lawrence, Trustee, William Carey College.

June 9 — J. D. Caples, Representative, Calhoun Association, Mississippi Baptist Convention Board; A. E. Mason, Trustee, Clarke College.

NEW YORK (RNS) — A total of 15,170,058 Scriptures were distributed last year in 193 languages in more than 60 countries by the American Bible Society, it was reported at its 141st annual meeting here.

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18TH CENTURY BAPTIST PRESS

OFFICERS INTERRUPT MEETING, ARREST BAPTIST MINISTER

CARTER'S RUN, Va., November, 1769 — (BP) — A Baptist meeting near here was broken up today as sheriff's deputies seized the minister as he was pronouncing the benediction and charged him with conducting unlawful services.

The Baptist preacher, James Ireland, was charged by officers with conducting worship without authority from the state church of Virginia. Ireland was released under bond.

The minister revealed later that he had known before the meeting began that officers had threatened to intervene and fine those present. He decided to go ahead with services in spite of opposition.

"I sat down," Ireland said, "and counted the cost of liberty or prison. Having ventured all upon Christ, I determined to suffer all for him."

Services were held at the home of a Baptist layman who warned Ireland when he arrived that authorities had told him that if Ireland preached he would be placed under arrest, and the layman would be fined twenty pounds for allowing the meeting to be held on his property.

"When he told me to go ahead with the services if I felt it my duty," Ireland said, "I asked him to show me his property line. I put a table across the line and preached from the tabletop so I would be no more on his property than on any one else's."

While Ireland was standing on top of the table praying, officers seized him by the collar.

Dr. James E. Herring, Professor of Modern Languages, Furman University, I am sure there are many more.

Chas. W. Horner,
State Secretary
BSU Department
1301 Hampton Street
Columbia,
South Carolina



MEMORIAL DAY, May 30, brings reminders of the enormous debt which the living owe the dead, those who died that we might live on. In the Korean conflict alone 54,246 American soldiers perished in battle.—(RNS Photo).

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| Cloverdale | 401.13 | 215.07 | 616.20 | | | Shifalo Mem. | 56.63 | 56.63 |
| Cranfield | 444.48 | 195.81 | 640.29 | | | Success | 94.00 | 94.00 |
| Friendship | | 78.65 | 78.65 | | | Trinity | 821.92 | 966.00 |
| Morgantown | 748.92 | 626.49 | 1375.41 | | | Waveland Mission | | 1787.92 |
| Natchez: | | | | | | Wool Market | 96.98 | 23.75 |
| Calvary | 385.65 | 519.68 | 905.33 | | | Totals | 35462.49 | 18859.42 |
| Fellowship | 881.58 | 210.93 | 1092.51 | | | | | 54321.91 |
| Immanuel | 2459.69 | 3150.52 | 5610.21 | | | Hinds Association | | |
| Westside | 400.00 | 620.74 | 1060.74 | | | Bethesda | 517.03 | 254.47 |
| Washington | 754.56 | 282.91 | 1037.47 | | | Beulah Mem. | 193.22 | 74.00 |
| Riverside | | 47.32 | 47.32 | | | Boiton | | 10.00 |
| Springfield | 329.10 | 184.00 | 513.10 | | | Byram | 505.00 | 60.07 |
| Total | 7057.24 | 6190.81 | 13248.05 | | | Byram Mem. | 108.00 | 12.40 |
| Aleorn Assn. | | | | | | Chapel Hill | | |
| Antioch No. 1 | | | | | | Clinton | 6500.00 | 10705.01 |
| Antioch No. 2 | | 32.60 | 32.60 | | | Daniel Mem. | 11000.00 | 4148.54 |
| Bethlehem | 48.97 | 107.67 | 156.64 | | | Edwards | 976.20 | 525.08 |
| Brush Creek | | | | | | Elaine | 66.52 | 90.71 |
| Calvary | 278.84 | 69.49 | 348.33 | | | Forest Hill | 605.72 | 272.94 |
| Corinth: | | | | | | Jackson: | | |
| First | 1251.00 | 2253.02 | 3504.02 | | | Alta Woods | 5298.74 | 1145.70 |
| South | 12.00 | 95.72 | 107.72 | | | Broadmoor | 4170.00 | 3515.96 |
| Tate St. | 1662.65 | 557.92 | 2220.57 | | | Calvary | 21939.30 | 9894.95 |
| West | 1467.70 | 444.37 | 1912.07 | | | Col. Heights | 247.52 | 276.48 |
| County Line | 30.00 | 27.00 | 57.00 | | | Crestwood | 4839.18 | 1534.26 |
| Danville | | | | | | Emmanuel | 298.38 | 400.41 |
| East Corinth | 471.54 | 48.15 | 519.69 | | | First | 28124.98 | 19224.41 |
| Glendale | 61.43 | 16.05 | 77.48 | | | Griffith Mm. | 1200.00 | 658.54 |
| Hinkle Creek | 97.60 | 66.50 | 164.10 | | | Hilland | 718.52 | 173.76 |
| Holly | 53.48 | 66.12 | 119.60 | | | Hillcrest | 1318.72 | 473.35 |
| Jacinto | | | | | | Magnolia Park | | 9.80 |
| Kemps Chapel | | | | | | McDowell Road | | 41.80 |
| Kossuth | 190.24 | 79.50 | 269.74 | | | Northside | 11146.13 | 5441.63 |
| Liberty Hill | | | | | | Oak Frst Chap | | 145.74 |
| Lone Oak | | | | | | Parkhill | 347.05 | 347.05 |
| Love Joy | | | | | | Parkway | 5217.89 | 2567.60 |
| New Prospect | | | | | | Ridgecrest | 4386.86 | 1639.15 |
| North Corinth | 10.00 | | 10.00 | | | Robinson St. | 375.00 | 439.13 |
| Rienzi | | 15.00 | 15.00 | | | Southside | 1150.00 | 457.18 |
| Shiloh | 188.16 | 158.65 | 346.81 | | | Temple | | 93.75 |
| Tishomingo | | | | | | West | 1998.48 | 242.78 |
| Chapel | 194.06 | 90.00 | 284.06 | | | Learned | 41.45 | 41.45 |
| Tuscumbia | | | | | | Midway | 290.00 | 130.00 |
| Union | 60.00 | | 60.00 | | | Mt. Morgan | | |
| Wheeler Grove | 100.00 | 51.39 | 151.39 | | | New Haven | 76.91 | 15.00 |
| Totals | 6177.67 | 5179.15 | 11356.82 | | | Pocahontas | | 19.21 |
| Attala Association | | | | | | Raymond | 1173.02 | 1321.98 |
| Bear Creek | 75.00 | 69.50 | 144.50 | | | Salem | 236.48 | 157.37 |
| Berea | 49.98 | 10.50 | 60.48 | | | Terry | 600.00 | 481.90 |
| Beulah | 2.20 | 3.00 | 5.20 | | | Utica | 610.00 | 711.29 |
| Bowlin | 30.00 | 10.00 | 40.00 | | | Van Winkle | 2250.00 | 1756.74 |
| Carson Ridge | 30.58 | 19.50 | 50.08 | | | Westview | 1473.42 | 783.63 |
| Center | 7.95 | 7.50 | 15.45 | | | Totals | 119999.72 | 70066.72 |
| County Line | 134.48 | 94.38 | 228.86 | | | | | 19066.44 |
| Doty Springs | | | | | | Holmes Association | | |
| Ebenezer | 15.00 | 20.00 | 35.00 | | | Antioch | | 25.00 |
| Edgefield | 47.86 | 15.00 | 62.86 | | | Beulah | 50.00 | 68.62 |
| Ethel | 309.50 | 170.82 | 480.32 | | | Bowling Green | | 118.62 |
| Harmony | | | | | | Cruger | 90.00 | 31.43 |
| Hurricane | 32.50 | 187.12 | 219.62 | | | Durant | 3916.99 | 1192.60 |
| Jerusalem | 31.79 | 24.36 | 56.15 | | | Ebenezer | 60.00 | 5109.59 |
| Kosciusko 1st | 8800.00 | 2784.50 | 11584.50 | | | Emory | | 60.00 |
| Kosciusko 2nd | 100.00 | 150.91 | 250.91 | | | Faith | 3.96 | 3.96 |
| McAdams | 300.00 | 372.46 | 672.46 | | | Goodman | 498.96 | 332.24 |
| McCool | 150.00 | 155.83 | 305.83 | | | Harlands Crk | 116.00 | 7.20 |
| New Hope | | | | | | Horse Shoe | | |
| New Salem | 25.00 | 15.00 | 40.00 | | | Lexington | 991.73 | 320.71 |
| North Union | 7.40 | 7.40 | 14.80 | | | Mt. Pleasant | | 26.72 |
| Pilgrims Rest | | 15.00 | 15.00 | | | Mt. Vernon | | |
| Pleasant Ridge | | 25.00 | 25.00 | | | Oak Grove | 30.00 | 30.00 |
| Providence | 10.00 | 10.00 | 20.00 | | | Oregon | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| Sallis | 112.11 | 181.30 | 293.41 | | | Pickens | 190.90 | 172.48 |
| Sand Hill | 22.50 | 23.00 | 45.50 | | | Pleasant Ridge | 56.80 | 13.65 |
| Springdale | 119.05 | 188.50 | 307.55 | | | Saron | 90.28 | 85.30 |
| Unity | 25.00 | 105.00 | 130.00 | | | Tchula | 235.00 | 427.05 |
| Williamsville | 217.47 | 226.69 | 444.16 | | | | | 662.05 |
| Yokanookany | 100.00 | 58.35 | 158.35 | | | | | |
| Zama | 38.15 | 12.50 | 50.65 | | | | | |
| Totals | 10793.52 | 4953.12 | 15746.64 | | | | | |
| Benton Association | | | | | | | | |
| Ashland | 1186.85 | 421.66 | 1608.51 | | | | | |
| Bluff Springs | | | | | | | | |
| Canaan | 60.00 | 35.00 | 95.00 | | | | | |
| Country | 12.23 | | 12.23 | | | | | |
| Flat Rock | | | | | | | | |
| Hamilton | | | | | | | | |
| Hickory Flat | 200.00 | 223.00 | 423.00 | | | | | |
| Lamar | | | | | | | | |
| Lonoke | | | | | | | | |
| New Central | 9.30 | | 9.30 | | | | | |
| New Hope | | | | | | | | |
| Pine Grove | 130.37 | 32.08 | 162.45 | | | | | |
| Pleasant Hill | 48.79 | | 48.79 | | | | | |
| Total | 1647.54 | 711.74 | 2359.28 | | | | | |
| Bolivar Association | | | | | | | | |
| Benoit | 214.82 | 151.75 | 366.57 | | | | | |
| Boyle | 804.25 | 691.87 | 1496.12 | | | | | |
| Calvary | 230.31 | 230.66 | 460.97 | | | | | |
| Center Field | 19.50 | 19.50 | 39.00 | | | | | |
| Cleveland 1st | 4017.84 | 1141.00 | 5158.84 | | | | | |
| Duncan | 469.80 | 411.21 | 881.01 | | | | | |
| Everitt Chapel | | | | | | | | |
| Gunnison | 152.00 | 234.00 | 386.00 | | | | | |
| Immanuel | 1775.00 | 1142.74 | 2917.74 | | | | | |
| Interstate | 56.11 | 68.18 | 124.29 | | | | | |
| Meltonia | 24.00 | 17.50 | 41.50 | | | | | |
| Merigold | 317.58 | 320.98 | 638.56 | | | | | |
| Morrison Chpl | 177.60 | 288.99 | 466.59 | | | | | |
| Niland Chapel | | | | | | | | |
| Pace | 120.00 | 46.46 | 166.46 | | | | | |
| Providence | | 124.65 | 124.65 | | | | | |
| Rosedale | 493.80 | 462.82 | 956.62 | | | | | |
| Rosedale Miss. | 23.42 | 10.03 | 33.45 | | | | | |
| Shaw | 720.48 | 815.80 | 1536.28 | | | | | |
| Shelby | 606.00 | 794.53 | 1394.53 | | | | | |
| Skene | 697.80 | 287.43 | 985.23 | | | | | |
| Sunny Side | 10.00 | 16.70 | 26.70 | | | | | |
| Waxhaw | | 23.75 | 23.75 | | | | | |
| Yale St. | 73.55 | 61.65 | 135.20 | | | | | |
| Totals | 10997.86 | 7362.20 | 18360.06 | | | | | |
| Calhoun Association | | | | | | | | |
| Antioch | | 30.00 | 30.00 | | | | | |
| Antioch-Laf | | | | | | | | |
| Banner | 116.64 | 83.34 | 199.98 | | | | | |
| Benela | | | | | | | | |
| Bentley | | 5.00 | 5.00 | | | | | |
| Bethany-Slate | | | | | | | | |
| Spring | 561.25 | 554.80 | 1116.05 | | | | | |
| Bethel | 150.00 | 271.00 | 421.00 | | | | | |
| Big Creek | 81.45 | 76.95 | 158.40 | | | | | |
| Bradford Chapel | 43.75 | 26.25 | 70.00 | | | | | |
| Bruce | 1200.00 | 786.24 | 1986.24 | | | | | |
| Calhoun City | | | | | | | | |
| First | 5780.77 | 1649.86 | 7430.63 | | | | | |
| Calhoun City | | | | | | | | |
| Second | 6.00 | 22.30 | 28.30 | | | | | |
| Calvary | | | | | | | | |
| College Hill | | | | | | | | |
| Concord | 34.52 | | 34.52 | | | | | |
| Derma | | 146.00 | 146.00 | | | | | |
| Drivers Flat | 4.00 | 5.00 | 9.00 | | | | | |
| Duncan Hill | 73.47 | 20.00 | 93.47 | | | | | |
| Ellard | 153.85 | 52.00 | 205.85 | | | | | |
| Gaston Springs | | 6.00 | 6.00 | | | | | |
| Lantrip | | | | | | | | |
| Loyd | 50.00 | 62.00 | 112.00 | | | | | |
| Macedonia | 132.55 | 121.25 | 253.80 | | | | | |
| Midway | 90.00 | 30.00 | 120.00 | | | | | |
| Mt. Comfort | 68.28 | 17.00 | 85.28 | | | | | |
| Mt. Moriah | | 125.93 | 125.93 | | | | | |
| Mt. Tabor | 36.66 | | 36.66 | | | | | |
| New Hope | 93.05 | 40.83 | 133.88 | | | | | |
| New Liberty | | 31.00 | 31.00 | | | | | |
| New Providence | 48.36 | 11.00 | 59.36 | | | | | |
| Oak Grove | 20.74 | 57.50 | 78.24 | | | | | |
| Old Town | 14.64 | 21.00 | 35.64 | | | | | |
| Parker | 27.00 | 16.91 | 43.91 | | | | | |
| Pilgrims Rest | | | | | | | | |
| Pittsboro | 140.00 | 156.70 | 296.70 | | | | | |
| Pleasant Grove | 40.75 | 29.59 | 70.34 | | | | | |
| Pleasant Ridge | | | | | | | | |
| Poplar Springs | 184.31 | 123.39 | 307.70 | | | | | |
| Providence | | | | | | | | |
| Rocky Branch | 39.24 | 21.00 | 60.24 | | | | | |
| Rocky Mount | | 144.72 | 144.72 | | | | | |
| Sabougla | | 80.00 | 80.00 | | | | | |
| Sarepta | 37.50 | 21.70 | 59.20 | | | | | |
| Schoona Valley | 4.00 | 2.00 | 6.00 | | | | | |
| Sherman | 27.78 | 10.00 | 37.78 | | | | | |
| Shiloh | 150.00 | 120.09 | 270.09 | | | | | |
| Spring Hill | 45.44 | 26.18 | 71.62 | | | | | |
| Turkey Creek | | 22.00 | 22.00 | | | | | |
| Union Grove | | | | | | | | |
| Vardaman | 300.00 | 404.15 | 704.15 | | | | | |
| Victory | 13.24 | 22.95 | 36.19 | | | | | |

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| (Continued from Page 5) | | | | Shelton | 75.00 | 5.94 | 80.94 | Mars Hill | | | | |
| West | 75.00 | 31.20 | 106.20 | Soso | 270.82 | 306.65 | 577.47 | McDonald | | | | |
| Totals | 6355.62 | 2734.20 | 9089.82 | Summerland | 486.11 | 281.80 | 767.91 | Midway | 120.00 | 137.59 | 257.59 | |
| Humphreys Association | | | | Tuckers Crossing | | 52.67 | 52.67 | Mt. Carmel | 50.00 | | 50.00 | |
| Belzoni | 4108.28 | 2525.39 | 6633.67 | Wildwood | 450.00 | 293.75 | 743.75 | Mt. Zion | 81.36 | 80.00 | 161.36 | |
| Belzoni-2nd | | | | Totals | 22902.34 | 16777.38 | 39679.72 | New Hope | 82.44 | 36.00 | 118.44 | |
| Beulah | 10.00 | | 10.00 | Kemper Association | | | | New Prospect | | 85.00 | 85.00 | |
| Calvary | | 8.75 | 8.75 | Bay Springs | 78.10 | 35.50 | 113.60 | New Providence | 31.51 | 30.00 | 61.51 | |
| Gooden Lake | 44.12 | 33.00 | 77.12 | Blackwater | 121.46 | 389.40 | 510.86 | New Zion | 145.01 | 270.53 | 415.54 | |
| Isola | | 73.70 | 73.70 | Bluff Springs | | 28.50 | 28.50 | Pearl Hill | | | | |
| Louise | 40.00 | 33.25 | 73.25 | Center Ridge | 87.42 | 16.00 | 103.42 | Pleasant Hill | | | | |
| Silver City | 30.00 | 56.75 | 86.75 | Corinth | 28.00 | 18.00 | 46.00 | Remus | 4.73 | 7.00 | 11.73 | |
| Totals | 4232.40 | 2730.84 | 6963.24 | DeKalb | 162.94 | 171.57 | 334.51 | Renfro | | 25.00 | 25.00 | |
| Itawamba Association | | | | Friendship | | | | Rocky Point | 60.00 | 110.00 | 170.00 | |
| Antioch | | | | Liberty | | | | Salem | 34.37 | 8.37 | 42.74 | |
| Bethany | | | | Salem | 75.00 | 16.00 | 91.00 | Springfield | | | | |
| Evergreen | | 56.06 | 56.06 | Scoba | 484.18 | 135.62 | 619.80 | Standing Pine | | 76.50 | 76.50 | |
| Fairview | 13.83 | | 13.83 | Stonewall | | | | Sunrise | | | | |
| Liberty Grove | | | | Union | | | | Thomastown | 115.00 | 477.98 | 592.98 | |
| Mt. Pisgah | | | | Union Hill | | | | Tuscola | | 385.35 | 385.35 | |
| New Bethel | 3.50 | 10.00 | 13.50 | Vardaman | | | | Union Ridge | | | | |
| Pleasant Grove | | | | Wahalak | 60.03 | | 60.03 | Walnut Grove | 500.00 | 396.76 | 896.76 | |
| Poplar Springs | | | | West Kemper | 80.00 | 78.00 | 158.00 | Wiggins | 56.88 | 96.00 | 152.88 | |
| Providence | 12.00 | | 12.00 | Totals | 1177.13 | 888.59 | 2065.72 | Totals | 5421.85 | 5903.80 | 11325.65 | |
| Salem | 24.44 | 7.05 | 31.49 | Lafayette Association | | | | Lebanon Association | | | | |
| Shiloh | 30.00 | 25.00 | 55.00 | Abbeville | 41.02 | 144.64 | 185.66 | Big Level | 82.01 | 51.00 | 133.01 | |
| Fulton-Trinity | 76.00 | 51.06 | 127.06 | Anchor | 62.50 | 44.25 | 106.75 | Brooklyn | | 67.00 | 67.00 | |
| Walker | | | | Bay Springs | | 35.00 | 35.00 | Calvary | 565.88 | 52.06 | 617.74 | |
| Totals | 159.77 | 149.17 | 308.94 | Clear Creek | 350.00 | 412.03 | 762.03 | Carterville | | 21.40 | 21.40 | |
| Jackson Assn. | | 1106.39 | 1106.39 | Delay | | | | Corinth | 35.54 | 59.21 | 94.75 | |
| Bayou Casotte | 489.42 | 145.68 | 635.10 | Harmontown | | 61.00 | 61.00 | Crestview | 20.00 | 108.00 | 128.00 | |
| Bellefontaine | 486.33 | 189.00 | 675.33 | London Hill | 15.25 | 6.00 | 21.25 | Dixie | 1125.00 | 978.00 | 2103.00 | |
| Eastside | 94.25 | 52.50 | 146.75 | Matthews | 12.00 | 24.00 | 36.00 | Eastabatchie | 94.45 | 51.00 | 145.45 | |
| Emmanuel | 43.22 | 51.28 | 94.50 | New Elbethel | | 104.00 | 104.00 | Glendale | 1290.94 | 888.80 | 2179.74 | |
| Escatawpa | 1596.71 | 262.44 | 1859.15 | New Hope | | 6.00 | 6.00 | Good Hope | | 50.00 | 50.00 | |
| Four Mile Creek | | | | New Prospect | 135.00 | 269.42 | 404.42 | Grace Chapel | 53.45 | 47.00 | 100.45 | |
| Mission | | 50.00 | 50.00 | Old Union | 14.00 | 10.00 | 24.00 | Greens Creek | 155.00 | 56.15 | 211.15 | |
| Friendship | 431.16 | 142.98 | 574.14 | Oxford 1st | 4377.02 | 1607.66 | 5984.68 | Hattiesburg: | | | | |
| Ft. Bayou | 46.70 | 24.44 | | North | 665.38 | 321.32 | 986.70 | 19th Ave. | 240.00 | 240.22 | 480.22 | |
| Gautier | 301.50 | 189.03 | 490.53 | Paris | | 42.00 | 42.00 | 28th Ave. | 303.00 | 21.75 | 324.75 | |
| Hurley | 265.53 | 185.20 | 450.73 | Philadelphia | 18.75 | 72.43 | 91.18 | 38th Ave. | 1148.43 | 572.41 | 1720.84 | |
| Jackson Ave. | | | | Shiloh | | 53.30 | 53.30 | Boule St. | 447.84 | 86.36 | 534.20 | |
| Kreole | 1298.62 | 480.10 | 1778.72 | Taylor | | 5.00 | 5.00 | Central | 546.59 | 137.00 | 683.59 | |
| Magnolia | | | | Tula | 20.00 | 10.00 | 30.00 | First | 7411.24 | 7506.35 | 14917.59 | |
| Meadowview | | 10.00 | 10.00 | West Union | 120.00 | 175.15 | 295.15 | Immanuel | 2174.11 | 890.86 | 3064.97 | |
| Moss Point: | | | | Yellow Leaf | 267.49 | 471.36 | 738.85 | Irene Chapel | | 135.00 | 135.00 | |
| East | 1400.65 | 596.20 | 1996.85 | Totals | 6098.51 | 3874.56 | 9973.07 | Lakeview | | 59.30 | 59.30 | |
| First | 4044.81 | 1581.32 | 5626.13 | Lamar Assn. | | 37.01 | 37.01 | Main St. | 8668.95 | 5858.07 | 14527.02 | |
| Ocean Springs | 600.00 | 746.51 | 1346.51 | Baxterville | 225.94 | 129.70 | 355.64 | River Ave. | 224.22 | 259.22 | 483.44 | |
| Pascagoula: | | | | Bellevue | 280.00 | 67.65 | 327.65 | Southside | 120.00 | 301.87 | 421.87 | |
| Calvary | 1134.88 | 685.30 | 1820.27 | Greenville | | 23.00 | 23.00 | Temple | 4100.00 | 2768.36 | 6868.36 | |
| Eastlawn | 999.63 | 411.27 | 1410.90 | Hickory Grove | 196.14 | 14.45 | 210.59 | Lumberton | 1950.44 | 1185.10 | 3135.54 | |
| First | 8765.01 | 4105.35 | 12870.36 | Military | 50.22 | 8.15 | 58.37 | Macedonia | | 147.19 | 147.19 | |
| McArthur Cpl | | | | Oloh | 122.21 | 110.00 | 232.21 | Mars Hill | 26.25 | 25.00 | 51.25 | |
| Orange Grove Miss. | | | | Oral | | 243.59 | 243.59 | McLaurin | 38.00 | 79.00 | 117.00 | |
| Red Crk Miss. | 65.51 | 30.00 | 95.51 | Richburg | 66.85 | 164.04 | 230.89 | Petal, 1st | 555.41 | 142.55 | 697.96 | |
| Riverside | 1489.45 | 350.17 | 1839.62 | Sumrall | 338.26 | 216.43 | 554.69 | Harvey | 2250.00 | 2028.32 | 4278.32 | |
| Van Cleave | 152.21 | 78.52 | 230.73 | Totals | 1259.62 | 1014.02 | 2273.64 | Temple | 355.44 | 230.58 | 586.02 | |
| Wade | 37.30 | 15.00 | 52.30 | Lauderdale Assn. | | 11.50 | 11.50 | Providence | 1170.00 | 515.99 | 1685.99 | |
| Totals | 23742.89 | 11488.33 | 35231.22 | Arkadelphia | 272.76 | 89.20 | 361.96 | Purvis | 1836.00 | 911.68 | 2747.68 | |
| Jasper Association | | | | Bethany | 176.84 | 71.35 | 248.19 | Rawles Springs | 393.65 | 151.50 | 545.15 | |
| Antioch | 72.00 | 48.00 | 120.00 | Carmel | 240.00 | 425.43 | 665.43 | Wiggins | 2678.49 | 1071.05 | 3749.54 | |
| Bay Springs | 2307.58 | 1949.03 | 4256.61 | Causeyville | 302.33 | 74.25 | 376.58 | Zion Hill | 501.98 | 255.27 | 757.25 | |
| Corinth | 30.00 | 20.00 | 50.00 | Center Grove | 66.48 | 27.00 | 93.48 | Totals | 48562.11 | 28009.62 | 68571.73 | |
| Decedar | | 50.00 | 50.00 | Collinsville | | 37.47 | 37.47 | Lee Assn. | | 12.00 | 12.00 | |
| Edon | 415.00 | 435.55 | 850.55 | Dateville | 65.25 | 38.50 | 103.75 | Auburn | 75.00 | 95.55 | 170.55 | |
| Enon | | 33.00 | 33.00 | Fellowship | | 22.50 | 22.50 | Belden | 106.60 | 51.25 | 157.85 | |
| Fair Ridge | 22.82 | 22.82 | 45.64 | Goodwater | 252.82 | 204.92 | 457.74 | Birmingham | 199.98 | 160.73 | 360.71 | |
| Fellowship | 113.58 | 85.50 | 199.08 | Hebron | 591.91 | 168.05 | 759.96 | Bissell | 100.00 | 37.57 | 137.57 | |
| Heidelberg | 533.00 | 431.89 | 964.89 | Hickory Grove | 70.53 | 26.18 | 96.71 | Brewer | | 68.11 | 68.11 | |
| Lake Como | 30.39 | 27.00 | 57.39 | Kewanee | 640.00 | 805.00 | 1445.00 | Camp Creek | 21370 | 44.00 | 257.70 | |
| Louin | 240.00 | 242.11 | 482.11 | Liberty | 178.10 | 100.00 | 278.10 | Center Hill | | | | |
| Montrose | 100.00 | 97.00 | 197.00 | Long Creek | 230.84 | 56.60 | 287.44 | Dotys Chapel | | | | |
| Mossville | | | | Macedonia | | 141.15 | 141.15 | Euclatubba | | 52.00 | 52.00 | |
| New Concord | 75.69 | 219.87 | 295.56 | Marion | 896.78 | 312.50 | 1209.28 | Guntown | 13034 | 150.30 | 280.64 | |
| New Fellowship | 180.00 | 132.60 | 312.60 | Meehan | 43.00 | | 43.00 | Macedonia | | | | |
| Pine Grove | 51.60 | 49.28 | 100.88 | Meridian: | | | | Mt. Vernon | 80.00 | | 80.00 | |
| Shady Grove | 297.74 | 158.65 | 456.39 | 8th Ave. | 830.40 | 358.11 | 1188.51 | Mt. Zion | | 32.00 | 32.00 | |
| Stringer | 105.23 | 34.50 | 139.73 | 15th Ave. | 7714.16 | 3608.05 | 11322.21 | Nettleton | 260.00 | 221.16 | 481.16 | |
| Union Seminary | | | | 41st Ave. | 3748.33 | 564.78 | 4313.11 | New Hope | 40.00 | | 40.00 | |
| Totals | 4574.63 | 4036.80 | 8611.43 | Eastview | 225.00 | 138.39 | 363.39 | Palestine | 910 | | 910 | |
| Jeff Davis Assn. 200.00 | | | 200.00 | Emmanuel | 132.05 | 140.00 | 272.05 | Plantersville | 600.00 | 471.38 | 1071.38 | |
| Antioch | 297.90 | 189.00 | 486.90 | First | 16284.98 | 10365.21 | 26650.19 | Pleasant Hill | | 64.00 | 64.00 | |
| Bassfield | 360.00 | 113.68 | 473.68 | Grandview | | | | Pleasant Valley | | | | |
| Bethany | 100.00 | 113.16 | 213.16 | Chapel | 72.35 | 16.34 | 88.69 | Pricville | 15.00 | 31.20 | 46.20 | |
| Carson | 296.15 | 214.75 | 510.90 | Highland | 5845.71 | 2150.80 | 7996.51 | Richmond | 6833 | 60.00 | 128.33 | |
| Dublin | 225.00 | 45.69 | 270.69 | Key Field | 189.55 | 209.04 | 398.59 | Saltito | 44410 | 335.00 | 779.10 | |
| Ebenezer | 105.84 | 19.45 | 125.29 | Oakland Hgt | 1052.48 | 343.03 | 1395.51 | Shannon | 24801 | 366.28 | 614.29 | |
| Hathorn | 214.02 | 196.62 | 410.64 | Poplar Springs | | | | Sherman | 100804 | 891.52 | 1700.56 | |
| Hepzibah | 202.60 | 64.02 | 266.62 | Drive | 4771.68 | 1930.50 | 6702.18 | Themple Grove | | | | |
| Oak Grove | 183.25 | 122.92 | 306.17 | Southside | 5357.35 | 2088.10 | 7445.45 | Tupelo: | | | | |
| Old Hebron | 290.99 | 80.00 | 370.99 | State Blvd. | 1217.37 | 589.47 | 1806.84 | Calvary | 10733.84 | 10726.71 | 21460.55 | |
| Phalt | 400.98 | 552.60 | 953.58 | Midway | 1063.20 | 631.64 | 1694.84 | Spring St. | | | | |
| Prentiss | 3440.15 | 3080.45 | 6520.60 | Mt. Gilead | 90.00 | 46.60 | 136.60 | Mission | 179.85 | 14.64 | 194.49 | |
| Society Hill | 478.25 | 308.87 | 787.12 | Mt. Horeb | 136.52 | 138.76 | 275.28 | East | 150.00 | 94.15 | 244.15 | |
| Victory | 100.00 | 17.00 | 117.00 | Mt. Olive | 59.93 | 50.30 | 110.23 | First | 5128.89 | 1025.15 | 6153.84 | |
| White Sand | 1500.00 | 323.85 | 1823.85 | Mt. Vernon | 78.83 | 37.00 | 115.83 | Harrisburg | 2658.96 | 454.01 | 3110.97 | |
| Totals | 8395.13 | 5442.06 | 13837.19 | New Hope | 565.40 | 357.62 | 923.02 | Parkway | 74030 | 86.50 | 826.80 | |
| Jones Assn. | | 5.00 | 5.00 | Oak Grove | 1503.13 | 1550.13 | 3053.26 | Second | 50.00 | | 50.00 | |
| Bethel | 48.91 | 19.54 | 68.45 | Pine Forest | | | | Union | | 27.25 | 27.25 | |
| Bethlehem | 631.00 | 103.21 | 734.21 | Pine Grove | 120.90 | 114.00 | 234.90 | Union Hill or | | | | |
| Calvary | 80.50 | 62.43 | 142.93 | Russell | 269.38 | 329.93 | 599.31 | Limestone | 1784 | 5.00 | 22.84 | |
| Centerville | | | | Salem | 20.00 | 50.00 | 70.00 | Verona | 35347 | 172.75 | 526.22 | |
| County Line | 51.37 | 29.24 | 80.61 | Savoy | 90.39 | 54.73 | 145.12 | Totals | 2361025 | 15550.21 | 39160.46 | |
| East View | 550.02 | 648.11 | 1198.13 | Toomsaba | 238.97 | 187.52 | 426.49 | Leflore Association | | | | |
| Ellisville | 1010.85 | 1571.15 | 2582.00 | Totals | 55705.70 | 28661.65 | 84367.35 | Greenwood: | | | | |
| Ellisville-West | 456.80 | 264.26 | 721.06 | Lawrence Association | | | | Calvary | 1925.19 | 311.28 | 2236.47 | |
| Emmanuel | | 40.00 | 40.00 | Antioch | 30.00 | 10.00 | 40.00 | First | 3718.18 | 8259.41 | 11977.59 | |
| Fairfield | 129.75 | 42.91 | 172.66 | Arm | 118.84 | 20.40 | 139.24 | North | 1200.00 | 1010.24 | | |

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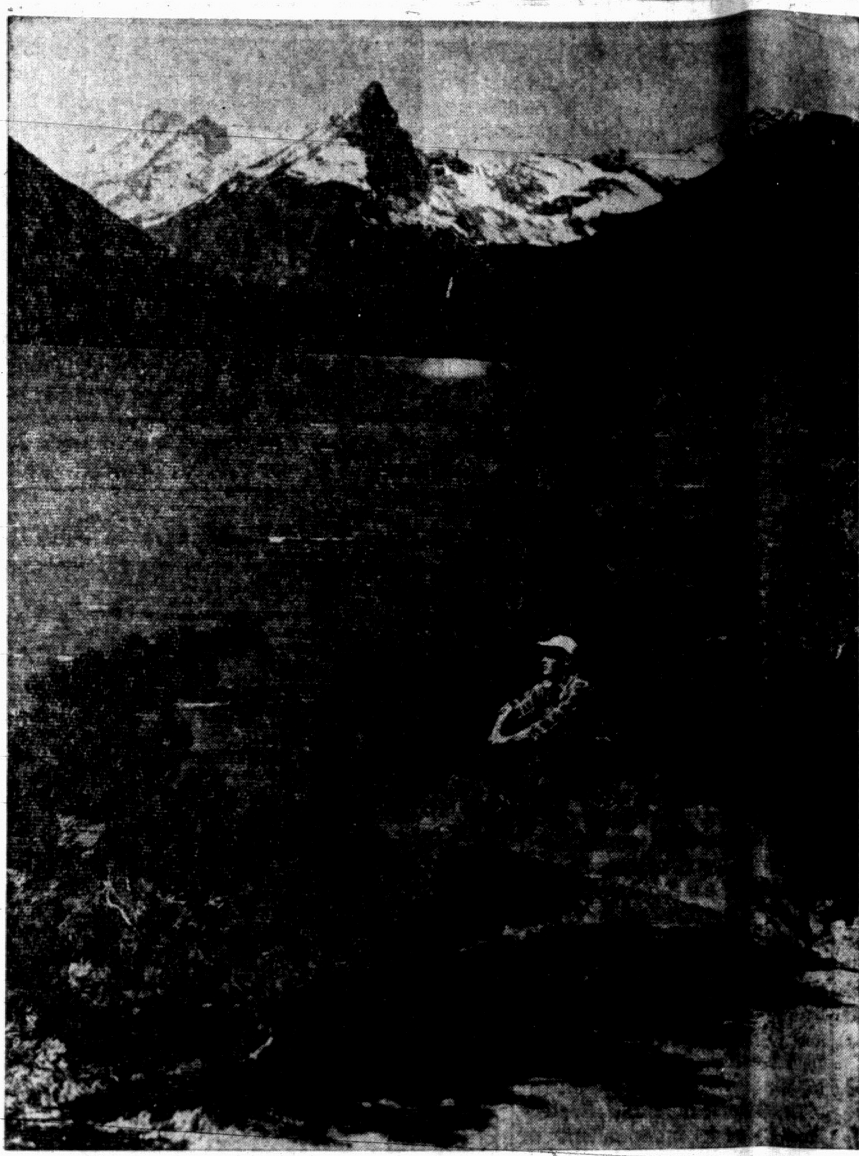
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| Calvary | 6.77 | 6.77 |
| Canaan | 7.25 | 7.25 |
| Hope | | |
| Hopewell | 22.42 | 22.42 |
| Macedonia | 20.00 | 24.82 |
| Mt. Zion | 10.00 | 10.00 |
| Old Canaan | 1.50 | 1.50 |
| Pine Bluff | 5.58 | 6.50 |
| Totals | 150.62 | 263.31 |
| Newton Assn. | 5.00 | 10.00 |
| Beat Line | | 20.00 |
| Bethel | 84.39 | 188.36 |
| Beulah | 112.00 | 27.92 |
| Center Ridge | | |
| Chunky | 150.00 | 174.12 |
| Clarke-Venable | 920.51 | 584.82 |
| Conehatta | 60.79 | 57.26 |
| Cross Roads | 15.88 | 15.88 |
| Duffee | 120.00 | 85.00 |
| Good Hope | | |
| Greenland | | |
| Hickory | 1034.00 | 746.27 |
| Lawrence | 50.00 | 34.15 |
| Liberty | 82.16 | 246.18 |
| Midway | 241.07 | 167.84 |
| Mt. Nebo | | 13.65 |
| Mt. Pleasant | 15.00 | 15.00 |
| Mt. Vernon | 87.90 | 59.29 |
| New Ireland | 61.00 | 59.42 |
| New Prospect | | |
| New Providence | | |
| Newton | 2499.96 | 3230.37 |
| Oakland | | 5730.33 |
| Pinckney | 24.00 | 11.75 |
| Pine Grove | 9.00 | 25.55 |
| Poplar | | |
| Poplar Springs | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| Rock Branch | 130.00 | 75.00 |
| Stratton | 100.00 | 36.00 |
| Sulphur Spgs | 16.00 | 20.00 |
| Union First | 1650.00 | 3084.03 |
| Totals | 7518.66 | 8906.98 |

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| Noxubee Association | | |
| Brooksville | 250.00 | 160.00 |
| Concord | | 345.95 |
| Deerbrook | | 91.40 |
| Elon | 30.00 | 64.00 |
| Gholson | | 10.00 |
| Macon: | | |
| Calvary | | 151.45 |
| First | 1650.00 | 1935.64 |
| Westside | | 3585.64 |
| Mashulaville | 50.00 | 130.00 |
| Rhuama | | 180.00 |
| Shuquak-Calvary | | |
| Shuquak | 670.00 | 249.97 |
| Vernon | 7.00 | 20.00 |
| Totals | 2657.00 | 3158.41 |
| Oktibbeha Assn. | | 177.12 |
| Ocobla | | 177.12 |
| Totals | 177.12 | 177.12 |

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| Oktibbeha County Association | | |
| Adaton | 200.00 | 110.00 |
| Bethesda | 180.22 | 163.91 |
| Calvary | | 245.00 |
| Center Grove | 200.00 | 60.00 |
| Double Springs | | 31.00 |
| Friendship | | |
| Longview | 335.20 | 95.93 |
| Maben | 100.00 | 317.65 |
| Morgans Chapel | 296.15 | 173.60 |
| New Hope | 41.54 | 28.59 |
| Pleasant Ridge | 10.00 | 9.23 |
| Self Creek | 190.00 | 167.76 |
| Starkville: | | |
| Emmanuel | | 4.47 |
| First | 374.45 | 2955.21 |
| Sturgis | 209.87 | 223.60 |
| Wake Forest | 38.09 | 161.42 |
| Totals | 5542.52 | 4747.37 |

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| Panola Association | | |
| Askew | 84.00 | 84.00 |
| Batesville | 4357.65 | 2641.52 |
| Calvary | 550.51 | 280.76 |
| Como | 1050.00 | 1675.50 |
| Courtland | 135.00 | 113.80 |
| Crenshaw | 150.00 | 260.85 |
| Curtis | | |
| Easley Mem. | 11.50 | 27.51 |
| Enon | 188.51 | 113.10 |
| Good Hope | 246.00 | 337.89 |
| Hebron | 568.00 | 134.37 |
| Immanuel | 20.00 | 5.00 |
| Liberty Hill | 120.00 | 51.05 |
| Locke Station | 59.04 | 65.66 |
| Longtown | 22.43 | 22.43 |
| Melvor | 255.00 | 222.33 |
| Peach Creek | 615.00 | 543.55 |
| Pharsalia | | 26.00 |
| Pilgrims Rest | 365.00 | 161.40 |
| Pope | 190.12 | 191.18 |
| Sardis | 2354.73 | 1168.47 |
| Sardis Lake Mis. | 56.00 | 56.00 |
| Shady Grove | | |
| Tocowa | 100.00 | 20.00 |
| Union | 146.46 | 70.00 |
| White Oak Grove | 6.35 | 10.00 |
| Totals | 11651.30 | 7092.37 |

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| Pearl River Association | | |
| Bethel | 386.87 | 586.42 |
| Carriere | 600.00 | 218.66 |
| Corinth | 220.28 | 185.75 |
| Crane Creek | 60.00 | 60.00 |
| Derby | 70.76 | 42.11 |
| Fords Creek | 60.00 | 35.00 |
| Gainesville | 25.00 | 31.10 |
| Goodyear | 260.90 | 153.85 |
| Harmony | 239.29 | 151.00 |
| Juniper Grove | 408.20 | 423.78 |
| McNeill | 150.00 | 81.27 |
| Napoleon | 169.40 | 38.50 |
| New Henley | | |
| Field | 175.00 | 15.00 |
| New Palestine | 970.00 | 301.47 |
| Nicholson | 285.55 | 477.05 |
| Oak Hill | 297.23 | 269.80 |
| Olive | | |
| Ozona | 15.00 | 74.00 |
| Picayune 1st | 12821.76 | 5529.75 |
| Pine Grove | 450.00 | 180.00 |
| Poplarville 1st | 750.00 | 1199.40 |
| Poplarville West | 235.00 | 72.89 |
| Roseland Park | | 289.60 |
| Santa Rosa | 499.59 | 254.81 |
| Spring Hill | 176.25 | 94.48 |
| Sleep | 80.00 | 20.00 |
| Union | 734.03 | 565.44 |
| West Union | 115.20 | 321.75 |
| White Sand | 20.00 | 30.00 |



NATURE'S MAJESTY SPEAKS OF GOD—"In those vernal seasons of the year, when the air is calm and pleasant, it were an injury and sullenness against nature not to go out and see her riches, and partake in her rejoicing with heaven and earth."—John Milton (RNS Photo).

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| Zion Hill | 70.38 | 80.75 |
| Totals | 20355.69 | 11693.63 |
| Perry Assn. | 68.40 | 68.40 |
| Arlington | | 33.55 |
| Bethel | | |
| Beaumont | 584.12 | 260.00 |
| Brewer | 255.55 | 81.43 |
| Buck Creek | | |
| Calvary | 15.00 | 15.00 |
| Good Hope | 83.11 | 70.00 |
| Indian Springs | 141.42 | 56.20 |
| Janice | | 111.00 |
| Kennedy Mem. | | 14.65 |
| New Augusta | 75.00 | 125.25 |
| Prospect | | |
| Richton | 1168.59 | 1383.54 |
| Richton-Eastside | | |
| Runnelstown | 30.00 | 31.00 |
| Seminary | | 15.61 |
| Union | 27.86 | 27.86 |
| Totals | 2449.05 | 2182.23 |

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| Pike Association | | |
| Balchitto | 74.60 | 55.55 |
| Bluff Springs | 393.33 | 118.50 |
| Bogue Chitto | 290.29 | 61.08 |
| Calvary | 288.90 | 131.76 |
| Fernwood | 390.00 | 188.05 |
| Friendship | 1615.07 | 730.40 |
| Greenwood | | |
| Holmesville | | 189.00 |
| Johnston Sta. | 154.37 | 154.37 |
| Magnolia 1st | 3400.00 | 665.50 |
| McComb: | | |
| Central | 1737.10 | 653.32 |
| East | 4662.24 | 582.71 |
| First | 11864.99 | 9203.71 |
| Locust St. | 402.55 | 59.20 |
| North | 381.73 | 108.60 |
| South | 2290.01 | 749.97 |
| Mt. Zion | 134.95 | 53.32 |
| Navilla | 416.00 | 151.00 |
| Osyka | 848.34 | 662.65 |
| Price St. | | |
| Progress | 247.63 | 721.04 |
| Silver Creek | 80.00 | 62.82 |
| Silver Springs | 387.20 | 162.25 |
| Summit | 1300.00 | 275.24 |
| Sunny Hill | 443.29 | 195.75 |
| Tangipahoa | 496.55 | 143.33 |
| Terry Creek | 700.00 | 555.47 |
| Thompson | 234.84 | 82.25 |
| Union | 230.82 | 106.22 |
| Totals | 33454.80 | 16668.69 |

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| Pontotoc Association | | |
| Algoma | 62.07 | 62.07 |
| Bellevue | 15.21 | 15.21 |
| Bethel | | |
| Buchanan | | 6.60 |
| Carey Springs | | |
| Cairo | 27.63 | 27.62 |
| Center Hill | 12.97 | 12.97 |
| Cherry Creek | 647.37 | 642.06 |
| County Line | | |
| Ecu | 527.13 | 344.13 |
| Endville | 91.02 | 146.30 |
| Friendship | 20.00 | 66.00 |
| Furrs | 90.00 | 152.47 |
| Gershorn | | |
| Harmony | 40.00 | 16.50 |
| Hebron | | |
| Hopewell | | |
| Horton Mem. | 4.66 | 4.66 |
| Hurricane | 217.21 | 166.99 |
| Immanuel | 45.00 | 45.00 |
| Liberty | | |
| Locust Hill | | 17.06 |
| Longview | 300.00 | 161.10 |
| New Hope | | 10.00 |
| Oak Hill | | 35.00 |
| Piney Grove | | 10.00 |
| Pontotoc | 6483.71 | 2679.99 |
| Randolph | 109.90 | 40.00 |
| Schooner Chapel | | |
| Shady Grove | 35.00 | 50.50 |
| Springville | | 20.00 |
| Thaxton or Dun- | | |
| Creek | 59.54 | 40.00 |
| Tocopolia | 19.63 | 53.63 |
| Toxish | 300.00 | 165.20 |
| Troy | | |

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| Turn Pike | | |
| Valley Grove | | |
| Wallfield | | |
| Washington Mission | | |
| West Heights | 187.06 | 30.00 |
| Woodland | | |
| Zion | 90.00 | 160.22 |
| Totals | 9440.11 | 5282.44 |
| Prentiss Association | | |
| Baldwyn | 919.02 | 945.28 |
| Booneville-East | | 36.72 |
| Booneville 1st | 3447.62 | 1361.77 |
| Canders Chapel | | 17.04 |
| East Prentiss | | |
| Fairview | | |
| Ingram | 350.00 | 122.99 |
| Ingram-Cross Roads | | 29.06 |
| Mt. Olive | 75.00 | 39.5 |
| Oakhill | | 25.00 |
| Osborne | 191.51 | 8.61 |
| Piney Grove | 13.19 | 13.19 |
| Pleasant Grove | 8.00 | 16.00 |
| Pleasant Ridge | | |
| Thrasher | 75.00 | 121.00 |
| Tuscumbia | 33.28 | 33.28 |
| Wheeler | | 130 |
| Totals | 5112.62 | 29.20 |

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| Rankin Association | | |
| Andrew Chapel | | |
| Antioch | 360.27 | 3.65 |
| Barefoot Spgs | 36.53 | 1.00 |
| Bethel | 140.78 | 1.00 |
| Brandon | 1800.00 | 26.66 |
| Briar Hill | 621.32 | 4.00 |
| Cato | 618.80 | 1.35 |
| Clear Branch | 300.00 | 1.00 |
| Concord | 91.19 | 1.11 |
| Cross Roads | 227.00 | 1.08 |
| County Line | 128.89 | 1.08 |
| Dry Creek | 46.26 | 1.70 |
| East Side | 471.25 | 1.00 |
| Eureka | | |
| Fannin | | |
| Flowood | 424.22 | 1.00 |
| Galilee | | |
| Hickory Ridge | 126.73 | 1.10 |
| Johns | | |
| Leesburg | 383.05 | 1.00 |
| Liberty | 119.91 | 4.32 |
| Mt. Creek | 124.63 | 1.05 |
| Mt. Pisgah | 345.97 | 1.18 |
| Oakdale | 347.12 | 1.29 |
| Paul Truitt Mm. | 521.27 | 2.75 |
| Pearson | 500.00 | 1.14 |
| Pelachatchie | 1486.25 | 4.00 |
| Puckett | 201.00 | 1.00 |
| Rehobeth | 253.81 | 6.19 |
| Richland | 1117.50 | 5.81 |
| Rock Bluff | 60.00 | 60.00 |
| Rock Hill | 96.68 | 1.00 |
| Star | 300.00 | 1.10 |
| Stearns Creek | | 562.53 |
| Thornhill | 20.00 | 20.00 |
| Union | | 55.00 |
| Value | 65.23 | 61.57 |
| Totals | 12217.44 | 59.135 |

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| Riverside Association | | |
| Belen | 140.59 | 185.83 |
| Berea | | |
| Birde | | |
| Clarksdale | 4227.96 | 3597.43 |
| Clear Creek Mis. | | |
| Crowder | 300.00 | 4.30 |
| Darling | 62.24 | 61.75 |
| Dundee | 35.00 | 67.00 |
| Fairhaven | | 7.50 |
| Fairview | | |
| Green River Mis. | | 89.85 |
| Hollywood | | 197.70 |
| Jonestown | 110.00 | 302.40 |
| Little Texas | | |
| Lula | 324.99 | 1044.66 |
| Lyon | 708.39 | 1073.99 |
| Marks | 1550.00 | 882.00 |
| Marks West | 270.61 | 96.25 |
| Oakhurst | 27.17 | 350.00 |
| Reynolds Mem. | 38.80 | 113.17 |
| Riverside | 195.72 | 399.74 |

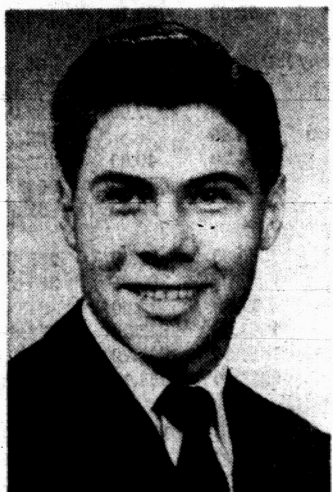
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| Roundaway | | |
| Sledge | 150.00 | 272.94 |
| Sunflower Mission | | 422.94 |
| Tunica | 2842.60 | 1985.96 |
| Union Chapel | | 4828.56 |
| Walnut | 321.50 | 833.38 |
| Totals | 13937.57 | 17937.46 |
| Scott Association | | |
| Bethlehem | 283.00 | 345.00 |
| Branch | 62.50 | 80.60 |
| Cash | | 13.15 |
| Clifton | | 9.00 |
| Coopersville | 83.58 | 91.12 |
| Ephesus | | 22.00 |
| Forest | 1751.49 | 2316.87 |
| Graverton | | 4068.36 |
| Harperville | 509.50 | 226.34 |
| Hillsboro | 60.00 | 63.05 |
| Homewood | | |
| Hopewell | 30.58 | 30.58 |
| Lake | 282.01 | 215.00 |
| Liberty | 89.25 | 150.10 |
| Line Creek | 100.00 | 28.88 |
| Ludlow | | |
| Jerusalem | 260.35 | 173.44 |
| Morton | 1907.51 | 2571.27 |
| Morton-East- | | 4478.78 |
| side Mission | | |
| Mt. Olivet | 75.00 | 54.00 |
| New Good Hope | 50.00 | 15.00 |
| New Home | 25.00 | 25.00 |
| New Zion | | |
| Oak Grove | 75.00 | 140.54 |
| Pleasant Ridge | | 215.54 |
| Pulaski | 50.00 | 39.60 |
| Ridge | | 87.51 |
| Salem | 67.35 | 67.35 |
| Sand Ridge | | 58.20 |
| Sebastopol | 30.00 | 38.80 |
| Springfield | 450.00 | 630.18 |
| Steele | 35.00 | 35.00 |
| Two Mile | 38.59 | 37.06 |
| Union | 51.61 | 51.61 |
| Totals | 6367.32 | 7431.71 |

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| Totals | 6567.32 | 7431.71 | 13 |
| Sharkey-Issaquena Association | | | |
| Anguilla | 385.00 | 398.04 | |
| Cary | 120.00 | 28.28 | |
| Catchings | 45.00 | 24.65 | |
| Mayersville | | 10.00 | |
| Rolling Fork | 1000.00 | 830.56 | 1 |
| Spanish Fort | 57.30 | | |
| Straight Bayou | 188.16 | 2.00 | |
| Tallula | 5.90 | | |
| Valley Park | 30.00 | 66.25 | |
| Totals | 1831.36 | 1359.78 | 3 |
| Simpson Assn. | | 4.50 | |
| Antioch | 118.23 | | |
| Athens | 123.15 | 13.85 | |
| Bethlehem | 30.91 | 161.20 | |
| Beulah | 125.14 | 60.00 | |
| Braxton | 216.33 | 206.22 | |
| Calvary | | 3.65 | |
| Campbells Creek | | | |
| Coat | | 33.70 | |
| Corinth | 66.00 | 14.75 | |
| D'Lo | 330.50 | 153.00 | |
| Dry Creek | 51.44 | | |
| Everett | | | |
| Good Water | 73.57 | 91.45 | |
| Goshen | | 2.50 | |
| Gum Springs | | 16.00 | |
| Harrisville | 165.77 | 141.25 | |
| Holly Grove | 86.51 | | |
| Jupiter | | 24.00 | |
| Kennedy Springs | 10.00 | 15.00 | |
| Macedonia | 208.30 | | |
| Magee | 2750.00 | 1866.63 | 4 |
| Mendenhall | 2125.00 | 577.11 | 2 |
| Mt. Zion | | 71.75 | |
| New Bethlehem | | 8.87 | |
| New Hope | | 105.47 | |
| New Zion | 90.61 | | |
| Oak Grove | | 13.86 | |
| Palestine | | 43.00 | |
| Pine Grove | 83.71 | 21.40 | |
| Pinola | 200.00 | 93.38 | |
| Pleasant Hill | | 63.90 | |
| Pleasant Valley | | | |
| Poplar Springs | | 29.15 | |
| Saratoga | 21.50 | 35.70 | |
| Shivers | | | |
| Siloam | 65.00 | | |
| Spring Hill | | | |
| Stonewall | | 111.72 | |
| Strong River | 43.35 | | |
| Weathersby | 25.00 | 19.00 | |
| Totals | 7618.62 | 4669.41 | |

Whitesand Church Ordains Minister

Arnold Hilton Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lane, was ordained to the full gospel ministry on Sunday afternoon, April 28 in Whitesand Church. The call for his ordination came from the Shiloh Church in Lawrence county, which Hilton has recently served as supply pastor.

The examining presbytery, held previous to the ordination service, was led by Dr. L. E. Green, assisted by Rev. T. A. Duke, Rev. Frank Lawton, Rev. Kenneth Roberts and Rev. S. R. Pridden.



Rev. A. H. Lane

The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. Pridden Whitesand pastor. Dr. L. E. Green gave the charge to the candidate and Rev. T. A. Duke gave the charge to the church.

The Bible was presented by Gary Neil Garner, life-long friend and school mate of Hilton's. Laying on of hands was participated in by the above ministers, all fourteen deacons of the Whitesand Church, and three deacons from the Shiloh Church.

The closing prayer was led by Mr. Lane, who is this year graduating from Mississippi College and who plans to enter the New Orleans Seminary this fall.

AUGUSTA, Me. (RNS)—Opposition to the use of public funds for bus transportation of "sectarian" students was expressed by the Congregational Christian Conference of Maine.



MOSS POINT CHOIR — The church choir at First, Moss Point, presented T. R. Gaul's Oratorio, "The Holy City," on Easter Sunday night under the direction of Mrs. J. T. Thompson, Choir Director. Mrs. L. B. Robinson served as organist and Mrs. John Brock as pianist. Rev. W. L. Stagg, Jr. is the pastor.

REVIVALS IN N. O.

Simultaneous revival efforts in thirty-four churches and seven missions in New Orleans Baptist Association resulted in 647 additions, of which 381 were for baptism; the District of Columbia Baptist Convention had forty-three churches participating and 887 additions—562 for baptism; fifty churches participated in Los Angeles Association resulting in 670 new members.

Bear Creek Church Ordains Deacons

On Sunday afternoon, May 19, Fred Huffman and Bill Parish were ordained as deacons by the Bear Creek Church, Attala Association.

The ordaining council was composed of six ministers and seven deacons. Rev. H. H. Ward, Attala Mission Supt. led the period of questioning, with Rev. Mayo Brown of the Eihel Church bringing the ordination message. The charge to the deacons was given by Rev. Joe Pericola of the McCool Church, with Rev. John Allen Wade of Kosciusko, Second, giving the charge to the church. Rev. E. C. Horton, former pastor of Bear Creek, led the ordination prayer.

Rev. Reed Dicken, Jr., pastor of the church, reports that in the morning worship service the church voted to purchase a new Lester Spinnet piano.

Mr. Dicken, who was called as pastor on January 6, is also pastor of the Edgefield church in the same association. He reports a Sunday School attendance on this date of 95 with 65 present in Training Union.

To Present Concert At First, N. Albany

First Church, New Albany, recently installed a new Moller Pipe Organ, at a total cost, including installation, of \$27,000.

Because of the generous donation of Mrs. W. G. McGill, Sr., the organ is practically debt-free.

On Sunday evening, June 2, 7:30 o'clock, there will be a dedication service for the new organ. In conjunction with the dedication program, five of the choirs will present a graded choir program, under the direction of the Minister of Music and Education, George Van Egmond. Mrs. D. O. Pannell is the Organist.



Beatrice Collins

On Tuesday evening, June 4, 7:45 o'clock, Miss Beatrice Collins Assistant Professor of Piano and Organ at the New Orleans Seminary, School of Sacred Music, will present an organ concert. Miss Collins, a

SBC SUPPORTS BIBLE SOCIETY

NEW YORK — (BP) — The Southern Baptist Convention is the second-leading denomination in financial support to the American Bible Society.

The Bible Society office here reported that during 1956, Southern Baptists contributed \$120,732 to work of translating, publishing and distributing Bibles and portions of Scripture carried on by the Society.

Only The Methodist Church gave more as a denomination—\$174,447. Northern Presbyterians (USA) followed Southern Baptists with gifts amounting to \$73,583.

The American Bible Society does its work independent of affiliation with any denomination but receives support from about 55 denominations in the United States in addition to contributions from private donors. Its Bibles and portions of Scripture are published without commentary.

Southern Baptist Convention support of the American Bible Society comes from local churches. The Convention itself does not appropriate any funds from its budget. However the American Bible Society has a place on the program of the Southern Baptist Convention each year in which it presents a report on its work.

native of Memphis, Tennessee, holds the Master of Sacred Music Degree from the Southern Baptist Seminary, School of Church Music. Dr. J. William Harbin is pastor.

Moselle's Pastorium Now Debt Free



Indianapolis Priests Get Salary Raise

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (RNS)—Roman Catholic Archbishop Paul C. Schulte of Indianapolis announced a raise in salary of curates from \$700 to \$800.

At the archdiocesan synod, he said the annual salary of pastors has been raised from \$1,100 to \$1,200 and that of curates from \$700 to \$800.

An annual upkeep allowance of \$200 was granted to priests operating automobiles.

Another change announced at the synod was an increase in the monetary offering made to priests for requested Masses. It has been raised from one dollar to two dollars.

The members, deacons, and trustees of the Moselle Memorial Church recently performed a note-burning ceremony. Shown holding the note are B. J. Townsend and Aubrey Sellers, with L. G. McMurry lighting the fire. The deacons and the pastor, Rev. H. L. Davis, also participated in the ceremony.

The note-burning represented the completion of payment on the pastor's home, valued at \$10,000. The final payment was made three years ahead of the deadline.

A building program which will include the addition of seven classrooms and a kitchen, as well as a complete remodeling of the present building, was begun on May 15.

Pastors' Meeting Set June 10-14 At Southwestern

The first annual Pastor's conference for Baptist preachers throughout the United States will be held on the campus of Southwestern Seminary June 10-14.

Sponsored by the School of Theology at the Seminary, Acting Dean Franklin M. Segler in charge, the conference has been designed to provide some refresher courses in various areas of pastoral work, along with inspiration from daily preaching and worship.

Dr. Guy H. Moore, pastor of the Broadway Baptist Church, Fort Worth, will bring the daily message, and in the evening, Dr. James S. Riley, pastor of Second Baptist Church, Houston, Tex., will speak.

Guest faculty members among those speaking at conference are Dr. Samuel Southard, from the Institute of Religion, Houston, and Dr. Warren Young, from the University of Chicago. Dr. Southard will bring a series of lectures on pastoral care, and Dr. Young, who will be on the regular Seminary faculty during the first four weeks of summer school, will lecture on the philosophy of religion as related to preaching.

Other areas of study, with the faculty members to present the material, are Bible study, Dr. Ray Summers; theology, Dr. W. Boyd Hunt; preaching, Prof. Gordon Clinard; church history, Dr. W. R. Estep; missions, Dr. Cal Guy; religious education, Dr. Joe Davis Heacock; Dean, School of Religious Education, Southwestern Seminary; church music, Prof. James C. McKinney, Dean, School of Church Music, Southwestern Seminary; Christian ethics, Dr. C. W. Scudder.

Registration fee for the conference is \$5.00, payable upon arrival.

For information concerning the conference, write Dr. Franklin M. Segler, Acting Dean, School of Theology, Southwestern Baptist Seminary, Box 6855, Fort Worth, Texas.



PRAYER TIME AT CAMP—Young people attending a youth assembly bow their heads in prayer at an open air meeting. At Ridgecrest and Glorieta, at Kittiwake and Garaywa thousands of boys and girls will share the thrills of a life time this summer.

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| Mesa | 169.57 | 246.30 | 415.87 |
| New Zion | 400.00 | 130.41 | 530.41 |
| Salem | 337.68 | 270.01 | 607.69 |
| Tylertown | 5368.56 | 5505.95 | 10874.51 |
| Union | 300.00 | 380.50 | 680.50 |
| Totals | 5883.70 | 8436.20 | 17019.90 |

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| Warren Association | | | |
| Antioch | | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| Goodrum Men | 113.22 | 33.12 | 146.34 |
| Grace | 199.14 | 193.22 | 392.36 |
| Harmony | 210.00 | 227.00 | 437.00 |
| Lone Lake M | 38.13 | | 38.13 |
| Totals | 1646.47 | 4610.22 | 16256.69 |

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| Washington Assn. | | | |
| Airport | 39.29 | 28.70 | 67.99 |
| Alexander Mem. | | | |
| Arcola | 837.91 | 370.45 | 1208.36 |
| Bogue | | 47.98 | 47.98 |
| Darlove | 226.00 | 131.86 | 357.86 |
| Ferriday | | | |
| Forkland | 19.40 | 14.25 | 33.65 |
| Greenville: | | | |
| Calvary | 1428.60 | 101.35 | 1529.95 |
| First | 7200.00 | 1872.69 | 9072.69 |
| Northside | 10.00 | 32.12 | 42.12 |
| Parkview | 1388.00 | 1189.53 | 2577.53 |
| Second | 2500.00 | 507.00 | 3007.00 |
| Hollandale | | 770.30 | 770.30 |
| Immanuel | | | |
| Lake Washing- | 70.00 | 113.99 | 183.99 |
| ton First | | | |
| Leland | 5654.48 | 4022.00 | 9676.48 |
| Leland-Parkview | 2.00 | 36.00 | 38.00 |
| Leland-Second | 430.36 | 88.30 | 518.66 |
| Swiftwater | 112.41 | 50.00 | 162.41 |
| Totals | 19918.45 | 9477.52 | 29395.97 |

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| Wayne Association | | | |
| Big Creek | 15.00 | 33.99 | 48.99 |
| Bucatanua | 540.49 | 250.85 | 791.34 |
| Calvary | 592.58 | 280.01 | 872.59 |
| Chaparral | | 21.85 | 21.85 |
| Chason | | | |
| Chicago | 37.50 | | 37.50 |
| Clara | 31.40 | 155.36 | 186.76 |
| Clear Creek | 185.41 | 14.20 | 199.61 |
| Coyt | 12.00 | | 12.00 |
| Denham | | | |
| East Shady Grove | | 25.79 | 25.79 |
| Erect | | | |
| Eucutta | 5.00 | | 5.00 |
| Evergreen | 210.00 | 84.50 | 294.50 |
| Hiwanee | | | |
| Liberty | | 61.00 | 61.00 |
| Mt. Zion | 250.00 | 133.28 | 383.28 |
| Pleasant Grove | 280.54 | 96.75 | 377.29 |
| Riverside | 50.00 | 97.68 | 147.68 |
| State Line | 416.50 | 266.35 | 682.85 |
| Strengthford | | | |
| Trinity | 10.00 | 27.50 | 37.50 |
| Water Oak M | 8.00 | | 8.00 |
| Waynesboro | 1002.00 | 2409.13 | 3411.13 |

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| West Shady Grove | | | |
| Yellow Creek | | | |
| Zion Rest | 90.00 | | 90.00 |
| Totals | 3736.42 | 3958.24 | 7694.66 |

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| Winston Assn. | | | |
| Bethel | 30.00 | 41.77 | 71.77 |
| Calvary | 96.00 | 269.35 | 365.35 |
| Crystal Ridge | | | |
| Dry Creek | | | |
| E. Louisville | 125.00 | 268.38 | 393.38 |
| Ellison Ridge | | 34.25 | 34.25 |
| Enon | 9.01 | 168.68 | 177.69 |
| Evergreen | 598.83 | 263.94 | 862.77 |
| Gum Branch | | 48.10 | 48.10 |
| Harmony | | 9.00 | 9.00 |
| Hinze | | | |
| Good Hope | 99.96 | 57.87 | 157.83 |

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| Indian Springs | | | |
| Liberty | 125.00 | 376.00 | 501.00 |
| Louisville 1st | 3671.55 | 3371.91 | 7043.46 |
| Macedonia | 63.41 | 31.75 | 95.16 |
| Murphy Creek | | 89.00 | 89.00 |
| Noxapater | 725.04 | 826.00 | 1551.04 |
| Oak Grove | | 14.95 | 14.95 |
| Poplar Flat | 120.00 | 257.75 | 377.75 |
| Shiloh | | | |
| Singleton | 50.00 | | 50.00 |
| S. Louisville | 51.94 | 64.35 | 116.29 |
| Union Ridge | | 101.50 | 101.50 |
| Wess Chapel | 10.00 | 5.00 | 15.00 |
| West End | 12.00 | 38.65 | 50.65 |
| Winston | 6.25 | 20.00 | 26.25 |
| Totals | 5793.99 | 6370.20 | 12164.19 |

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| Yalobusha Assn | 289.91 | | 289.91 |
| Bethel | | | |
| Big Springs | 25.00 | 15.00 | 40.00 |
| Camp Ground | 222.21 | 67.50 | 289.71 |
| Cedar Grove | | | |
| Clear Springs | | | |
| Coffeeville | 1033.50 | 310.14 | 1343.64 |
| Dividing Ridge | 20.00 | 5.00 | 25.00 |
| Elam | 60.00 | 31.10 | 91.10 |
| Haven Hill | 16.20 | | 16.20 |
| Hopewell | | | |
| Mt. Gilead | 10.00 | | 10.00 |
| New Hope | 5.00 | 5.00 | 10.00 |
| Oakland | 351.64 | 73.11 | 424.75 |
| O'Tuckalofo | 25.00 | 25.00 | 50.00 |
| Pine Grove | | 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Scobey | 33.69 | 40.57 | 74.26 |
| Sylvarena | 97.35 | | 97.35 |
| Tillatoba | | | |
| Water Valley | 1784.36 | 1808.05 | 3592.41 |
| Wayside | 150.00 | 42.50 | 192.50 |
| Totals | 4123.86 | 2427.97 | 6551.83 |

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| Yazoo Association | | | |
| Anding | | 10.75 | 10.75 |
| Benton | 35.00 | 54.13 | 89.13 |
| Bentonia | 125.00 | 216.72 | 341.72 |
| Bentonia-Cent. | 60.00 | 20.90 | 80.90 |
| Bethlehem | | 93.92 | 93.92 |
| Black Jack | 310.14 | 180.00 | 490.14 |
| Center Ridge | 450.00 | 160.04 | 610.04 |
| Concord | 120.00 | 36.75 | 156.75 |
| Eden | 132.00 | 120.42 | 252.42 |
| Grace | 69.82 | 38.30 | 108.12 |
| Hebron | 105.96 | 43.25 | 149.21 |
| Holly Bluff | 308.04 | 133.16 | 441.20 |
| Liverpool | 93.00 | 48.00 | 141.00 |

Off The Record

State's Attorney: "Are you sure this is the man who stole your car last Thursday?" Much befuddled plaintiff: "Well, I was. Now after cross-examination, I'm not sure I ever owned a car."

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| Melrose | 143.79 | 90.50 | 234.29 |
| Oak Grove | | 60.50 | 60.50 |
| Ogden | 68.94 | 91.75 | 160.69 |
| Oil City | 490.00 | 102.36 | 592.36 |
| Providence | | 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Rocky Springs | 132.00 | 83.22 | 215.22 |
| Sartaria | 162.48 | 396.22 | 558.70 |
| Short Creek | | | |
| Tinsley | 244.66 | 91.25 | 335.91 |
| Yazoo City: | | | |
| Calvary | 832.35 | 101.51 | 933.86 |
| First | 8827.69 | 2247.78 | 11075.47 |
| Totals | 12710.87 | 4426.43 | 17137.30 |
| Zion Association | | | |
| Alva | 35.59 | 30.00 | 65.59 |
| Bluff Springs | 18.00 | | 18.00 |
| Calvary | 12.00 | | 12.00 |
| Cross Roads | 125.00 | 84.15 | 209.15 |
| Clarkson | 206.17 | 154.16 | 360.33 |
| Cumberland | 10.00 | | 10.00 |
| Double Springs | 37.50 | 22.26 | 59.76 |
| Edgeworth | 34.29 | 18.00 | 52.29 |
| Eupora | 3295.23 | 1398.47 | 4693.70 |
| Fellowship | 30.00 | 56.10 | 86.10 |
| Harmony | 7.65 | | 7.65 |
| Hebron | 74.51 | 30.00 | 104.51 |
| Hohenlenden | | | |
| Lollars Grove | 30.00 | 25.00 | 55.00 |
| Mantee | 600.00 | 415.46 | 1015.46 |
| Mathiston | 300.00 | 49.69 | 349.69 |
| Montevista | 25.00 | | 25.00 |
| Mt. Pleasant | | 11.00 | 11.00 |
| Mt. Vernon | 29.69 | 121.23 | 150.92 |
| Mt. Zion | | 7.75 | 7.75 |
| New Hope | 184.21 | 97.60 | 281.81 |
| New Liberty | | | |
| Old Cumberland | 24.00 | | 24.00 |
| Philadelphia | 60.00 | 25.00 | 85.00 |
| Pilgrims Rest | | | |
| Pleasant Hill | | 13.00 | 13.00 |
| Reed Chapel | 18.00 | 14.00 | 32.00 |
| Sapa | | | |
| Shady Grove | | 12.25 | 12.25 |
| Tomnolen | 25.00 | 18.00 | 43.00 |
| Walthall | 60.00 | 85.60 | 145.60 |
| Totals | 5241.84 | 2688.72 | 7930.56 |
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| Nov.-Apr. | 68557.96 | | 68557.96 |
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| Jericho | 219.00 | 175.00 | 394.00 |
| Liberty | 88.78 | 45.00 | 133.78 |
| Locus Grove | 60.00 | 70.34 | 130.34 |
| Macedonia | | 22.01 | 22.01 |
| Martin | 28.51 | 8.50 | 37.01 |
| Mt. Gilead | | | |
| Myrtle | 549.44 | 393.69 | 943.13 |
| Ngely Mem. | 104.90 | 15.75 | 120.65 |
| New Albany | 9566.35 | 3900.29 | 13466.64 |
| New Harmony | 197.30 | | 197.30 |
| New Hope | | 10.00 | 10.00 |
| New Prospect | 105.00 | 248.89 | 353.89 |
| Oak Grove-New | 20.50 | 36.45 | 56.95 |